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AN EDITORIAL

A MAN AND AN ISSUE

When the citizens of Toledo go to the polls next Tuesday to vote in the municipal elections, and all who are interested in good government should vote, they will be given the opportunity to decide the fate of the men and the issues which are placed before them for approval or disapproval.

Two of the most important questions to be decided next Tuesday involve a man—Councilman Thomas H. (Tom) Burke, and an issue—the Proportionate Representation system of electing city councilmen.

When Tom Burke was elected two years ago, he surprised everyone with the strength of his vote, yet, in the face of his record as a labor leader in this community, his fine showing need have caused no surprise.

During the past two years, Councilman Burke has lived up to his past record as an advocate of legislation beneficial to labor and an opponent of legislation which labor has considered harmful. He has never failed, not even once, to live up to his responsibility and at all times has firmly stood for the cause to which he has devoted almost his entire life.

Tom Burke is not an orator. He is not given over to political showmanship or attempting to be all things to all men. As labor's own councilman, he has served quietly, but efficiently, honestly and conscientiously to do everything in his power to aid the people from whose ranks he still belongs—the workers of Toledo.

When the Black Market ordinance was asked by Toledo labor to curb the activities of those who were taking advantage of the war situation, Tom Burke led the unsuccessful fight in Council. He stood out almost alone and unafraid of the real estate and other interests who opposed the ordinance to put teeth into the enforcement of the law.

When city employees sought necessary adjustments in wage increases, Tom Burke never left them down. He fought and voted for the raises, even when some other councilmen who seek to appear to be friends of labor were plaintively asking where the money for the raises was coming from.

When the case of the city manager's resignation was still shrouded in secrecy, it was Tom Burke who had the courage to disclose to the people of Toledo the DeAngelo letter and brought the case out into the open. He has the courage of his convictions, and while the Schoonmaker case is not yet closed, Tom Burke will never cringe nor run for shelter when others who talked big, but acted small have fallen into a silence.

We believe that Tom Burke has done a good job as a member of City Council. We believe that he will continue to do a good job and offer for your first choice next Tuesday, the name of Tom Burke, labor's own councilman, for re-election.

Of utmost importance to the people of Toledo is the amendment repealing the Proportionate Representation system of electing city councilmen and returning our city government to an American way of electing public officials.

Despite the fact that a learned professor and others have labored to undo the insistent demand of a large group of people in this city for an understandable method of electing councilmen; despite the large sums of money which have been poured by big interests into the war chest to defeat the repeal of PR and the attempts which have been made to confuse and mislead the voters, it is our belief that next Tuesday the citizens of this city will rise and decisively repudiate the PR system and those who have sought to perpetuate it.

For ten long years, Toledo has gone along with the experiment of PR, and for ten long years it has failed to lift itself by its bootstraps and achieve the position promised by the English salesman who, aided by a few local political charlatans, succeeded in foisting the "shuffle-duffle" system upon us.

Ten years is ample time to try any "noble" experiment, particularly when it brings about more evils than it is supposed to cure. Ten years of un-American, divide and rule, shuffle-duffle lottery elections is quite enough to convince all thinking citizens that it isn't the system that counts as much as the men who are elected by it.

This is not the first time that the attempt has been

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Unions Should Advertise

NEW YORK, October 29 (LPA)—"When a strike occurs," says Printers Ink (advertising trade magazine) "management steps in to explain its side of the argument... management has a decided advantage in presenting its story, through the use of paid-for white space."

"The very word strike," it is pointed out in the Oct. 19 issue "is developing in the minds of the American public a connotation that it does not deserve.

"The strike is labor's one powerful weapon. "...Unions may not have the funds...to conduct public relations programs... clarifying to the American public the definition of a strike, why it must be used as a weapon," continues the article, as it recommends that labor follow management's example and advertise.

No mention is made of the fact that another advantage of management is that the so-called "institutional" or "prestige" ads of corporations are charged up to expenses, and thereby help industrialists to avoid paying taxes.

Repeal the Un-American PR System

Glassworkers, A&P Still Strike

A&P warehouse workers and the Flatglass Workers, both CIO unions were still on strike as the week drew to a close with very little hope of immediate settlement of either work stoppage.

The warehouse workers continued their strike when the A&P Co., failed to join with six other struck Toledo warehouses in negotiating a contract satisfactory to the United Retail, Wholesale, Department Store Employees Union on October 20. Only progress made thus far was the company's agreement with the wage stipulations. The other six warehouses are in full operation.

Effect No Settlement

William Akos, president of Local 9, Flat Glass Workers-CIO stated that no change had taken place on the glass workers strike which is tying up the plants of the Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass Co., here. Mr. Akos said that the union and company have negotiated five times since January 1944, and that each time negotiations have failed to make progress for the Union. The strike will continue, he said, until the company changes its position and shows a willingness to negotiate in good faith.

The glass workers strike is considered a continuation of the June strike which was authorized and voted on according to terms of the Smith-Connally Act.

Announce Willys Meeting Change

Members of the Willys-Overland Unit of Local 12 will hold their regular monthly meeting in Parlor "A" at Local 12 headquarters, Friday, November 2, at 8:00 p. m.

The meeting originally scheduled for Civic Auditorium was transferred to Local 12 headquarters when the usual meeting place was not available.

If You Work, Vote for Burke

UAW Releases Posters

DETROIT, Oct. 30—The first in a series of twelve specially designed POSTERS-OF-THE-MONTH, each on the subject of racial, religious and nationality tolerance, has been released by the UAW-CIO Fair Practices Committee to a thousand UAW local unions all over the country. The posters will be displayed in UAW-CIO local union halls and UAW-CIO plants for a period of one month and will then be followed by the next in the series.

Murray, Sheil Win Awards

NEW YORK (LPA) — Two good friends of organized labor, the Most Rev. Bernard J. Sheil, auxiliary Bishop of Chicago, and CIO President Philip Murray, will receive the first annual Msgr. John A. Ryan awards in November, the Committee of Catholics for Human Rights announced here last week.

Record Vote Turnout Is Predicted For November 6

Who You Threatening, Fred?

The labor-baiting Nat'l Ass'n of Manufacturers clenches a threatening fist against U. S. union workers in this picture of Frederick C. Crawford, chairman of NAM's executive committee. As president of Thompson Products Co., Cleveland. Crawford defied a government request that he not interfere with an NLRB election among his employes. His defiance was flagrant when he called the workers together last week and addressed them from a podium on which he had draped a striped prison-suit, with the explanation, "I wasn't sure I'd be here long." But a Federal Court rejected the NLRB's request for an injunction to stop him from trying to influence his workers against joining a union.

REPEAL THE PR SYSTEM

More than 34,000 Toledo citizens signed petitions this summer to place the referendum repealing the Proportionate Representation system of electing members of City Council.

IN ORDER TO REPEAL THE PR SYSTEM clip this ballot and take it with you into the booth.

You will be given the issues ballot when you vote. It is the largest ballot which will be given you.

You will find the PR issue on the left hand side of the ballot and the third issue from the top of the page. Mark your ballot exactly as indicated below.

VOTE

FOR

The Amendment To Abolish Proportionate Representation

SAMPLE

City of Toledo

PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF TOLEDO PROVIDING FOR A CITY COUNCIL OF NINE (9) MEMBERS, TO BE ELECTED FROM THE CITY AT LARGE BY PLURALITY VOTE.

To amend Sections 11, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26 and 237 of the Charter of the City of Toledo, and to enact Section 238 of the Charter of the City of Toledo, so as to provide for the election of a City Council composed of nine (9) members to be elected from the city at large, each elector to have the right to vote for nine (9) candidates for Council, the nine (9) candidates receiving the largest number of votes cast for candidates for Council to be declared elected.

X FOR THE AMENDMENT

AGAINST THE AMENDMENT

(This is the third Amendment on the left of Ballot)
It is the longest Amendment
Election Day, Tuesday, November 6, 1945

Truman Conscription Plea Falls On Frigid Congress

WASHINGTON ,October 29 (LPA)—President Truman's personal plea to Congress last week for compulsory peacetime military training, met with a cool reception both on Capitol Hill and in labor ranks.

Truman went to a joint session of House and Senate last week, to put in his request for compulsory military training for youth—either in actual military operations, or if physically unfitted for this, in munitions and ship production. While Truman claimed his plan did not equal a peacetime draft, it was agreed that he drew a very fine line of distinction between compulsory military training and compulsory military service.

William Green, at a press conference in Cincinnati issued a searing blast at the whole plan.

Green States Disapproval

Concerning President Truman's proposal to Congress that every boy receive one year's military training, he said: "The AFL has never reached a point where it has approved compulsory military training in any form...We feel, that we should

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Navy Stalls Oil Workers

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 (LPA) — The government's seizure of 52 oil plants and their operation by the Navy has only aggravated grievances, it was indicated last week by the CIO Oil Workers International Union. Navy's retention of the properties of the 26 companies taken over by order of President Truman "makes it possible for the managements to stall collective bargaining indefinitely," an OWIU statement said.

President O. A. Knight asked that: "(1) — Either the companies should agree to arbitration of the difference between the 15% they have said they are willing to grant and the 30% that the union is asking, or (2) —The Navy should return the seized plants to private management, and let the companies and the union engage in the normal process of collective bargaining."

Hope Dispelled

Hope that the Navy would negotiate the wage demands that resulted in the companies provoking the strike and rejecting Labor Secretary Schwellenbach's arbitration offer were dispelled last week. Knight contended that "Under Navy" seizure, the status quo prevails. The 48-hour week has not been reduced to 40 hours, thus preventing the rehiring of thousands of returning veterans. Further, there has been no assurance that there will be no reduction in take-home pay when the hours are reduced."

Knight declared that the need for speedy settlement is urgent, and added that "workers know that the oil companies can afford the 30% requested by the union." The union cited industrial reports which showed that the 14 major oil companies showed a 22% increase in dividends in 1944 over 1939 and a 96% greater net income.

We Can Win With Burke

WLB Defied By Higgins

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 (LPA) — Andrew J. Higgins, once acclaimed by the daily press as the "Henry Ford of shipbuilding", showed his anti-union colors last week when he stalked out of a War Labor Board hearing and said that he would no longer honor a contract with his employes in his New Orleans shipyard.

By walking out, Higgins disrupted negotiations with the AFL Metal Trades Council which he contended had not been proved as the proper bargaining agent. The CIO's Industrial Union of Marine & Shipbuilding Workers claims that it now represents a majority of the 3000 workers involved. The National Labor Relations Board has set a hearing for Nov. 1. After walking out, Higgins refused to return after a recess and shortly his lawyers walked out also. At issue were such questions as the closed shop and the collective bargaining rights of foremen. Higgins and his lawyers indicated that they would not abide by a WLB order extending his present union contract.

DO IT THIS WAY

To vote for Tom Burke please mark your ballot like this.

1	Tom Burke
2	Second choice
3	Third choice

In the event that you make a mistake or deface your ballot, inform the election booth officials of your error and they will give you a new ballot. We can elect Tom Burke on first choice votes this year and on the first count. He deserves your firstc hoice vote —Give it to him.

PR Issue Stimulates Interest; Favor Burke To Take High Place

Political observers are predicting that next Tuesday will see a record turnout of voters and are basing their belief on the interest aroused by the PR issue and the resignation of City Manager George N. Schoonmaker.

Some political experts are picking Councilman Tom Burke to run high in his attempt to secure re-election to City Council with some expressing the opinion that he will run one, two or three in the race. Mr. Burke was fourth two years ago, and has conducted a vigorous campaign. He is the only member of City Council to take a strong public position with respect to retaining the city manager and is believed to have improved his political position as a result.

Burke is a staunch backer of both the city manager and Safety Director Edward A. DeAngelo and brought to light the safety director's letter telling of the latter's conversation in which he demanded the resignation of Mr. Schoonmaker.

PR Issue Interests

Despite the interest which the Schoonmaker resignation has attracted as well as the circum-

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Truman's Hope

President Truman has named Chief Justice Walter P. Stacy, of the North Carolina Supreme Court, as chairman of the Nat'l Labor-Management Conference. Truman hopes that under Stacy's chairmanship union and industry representatives may reach a plan for industrial peace during the reconversion period. Stacy, who served as labor mediator under Presidents Coolidge, Hoover and Roosevelt, more recently acted as WLB associate public member and chairman of af air employment committee for railroads set up by FDR last year.

Time *for* Plain Talk

By Tom Burke
Vice-President Local 12, UAW-CIO

This article is being written on Tuesday, October 30, 1945. By the time it is published and read by you, the readers of the JOURNAL, the Toledo Blade will be well along on its campaign of news items and editorials justifying and rationalizing the position of its publisher.

I regret, in more ways than one, that this thing happened simultaneous with the councilmanic campaign. However, it did happen and the die is cast. Therefore, so be it and let the chips fall where they may.

In the first place to make my own position clear in this, I want to say that I am not a crusader, mounting a white charger and riding forth to battle every time it looks as though there may be an issue to react to my political advantage. If I were, I certainly wouldn't be d-n fool to take on the only avenue of effective publicity in the town. In this issue somebody had to be that kind of d-n fool and I guess an Irishman always likes a fight no matter what the odds.

There is one thing certain in this whole matter. Nothing has set any town on its ear with plenty of buzz-buzz since the Seagraves investigation of the Walker administration in New York like the true rea-

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UAW Wins Troy Hobart Election

Hobart Co. Employees Give Union Bargaining Rights

TROY, Oct. 25 (Special)—Another Miami Valley industry, the Hobart Co. of this city, went CIO today when nearly 600 employees of the Hobart Mfg. Co. by a two-to-one vote picked the United Auto Workers to represent them in a NLRB conducted election.

Harold Tull

Hobart's is the second plant to pick the UAW-CIO in the past 18 months, the other being the Waco Aircraft Corp. which voted CIO by a decisive majority last year. A previous attempt to organize the Hobart Co. by the AFL ended in failure shortly before the Waco plant election and there was some doubt about the ability of the Auto Workers to complete the organizational work successfully.

Tull In Charge

Organizational work which has been concentrated in the past six months among Hobart employees was in charge of Harold Tull, International UAW-CIO organizer. Assisting Mr Tull were Howard Seren, Walter Madrzykowski, Chris Topel, Carl Schick and John Burke.

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L-M Conference To Begin Monday

President Truman To Open Important Meet

WASHINGTON (LPA)—The decks have been cleared for a full-dress labor-management conference here starting November 5. President Truman has announced the acceptance of 36 representatives of labor and management and three public spokesmen, as well as the proposed agenda to guide the sessions.

Truman will open the sessions, followed by Labor Sec'y Schwellenbach and Commerce Sec'y Henry Wallace. After that, for at least a week and perhaps more, the conferees will go through a strenuous list of questions drawn up in preliminary committee meetings. The discussions, according to these plans, will be confined "primarily to some of the major causes of industrial strife and the methods of reducing them."

The bogey-men of compulsory arbitration and of federal regulation of unions — both being held in reserve by Congressional reactionaries in the event of failure of the conference to reach agreements — were not mentioned in the proposed agenda drawn up by William Green, Philip Murray, Eric Johnston of the Chamber of Commerce and Ira Mosher of the Nat'l Ass'n of Manufacturers.

Besides the full conference sessions, six working committees will be set up, on which alternate labor and management delegates will serve, as well as the first-string delegates. A three-fourths vote will be required favoring reports they submit to the full conference.

Here is the proposed agenda, agreed to unanimously by the four labor-management leaders:

"1. The extent to which industrial disputes can be minimized by full and genuine acceptance by manageemnt of collective

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First Choice for Council—Thomas H. Burke

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stances which surrounded it, the PR fight looms as the major political issue. Councilman Burke has been closely identified with the PR repeal movement and has been active against the system for a number of years.

Bets in several downtown cigar stores have been withdrawn by PR supporters and it is practically impossible to find anyone with sufficient confidence to make a sizeable wager on the outcome of the PR vote. One of the reasons for the hesitancy of betters is the fact that the group which was pouring money into the fund which financed the fight against the PAC charter amendment have practically stopped giving

Backed By PAC

Backed by the Political Action Committee, the referendum to change the city charter from the Proportionate Representation system was placed on the ballot after more than 34,000 signatures were secured in all sections of the city. Only 13,500 signatures were required on the petitions to place the amendment on the ballot.

PR adherents led by Kenton D. Keilholtz and Dr. O. Garfield Jones have attempted to attack the plurality method of electing proposed by the PAC amendment, but have been weak in defending their system from the criticisms of Attorney Carl Christensen, Chairman of the Committee Against the PR.

Unbiased observers have expresed the opinion that Mr. Christensen took the measure of the PR system and Dr. Jones in nearly all the debates in which the two participated. Several other speakers who appeared in favor of the PR system were quickly removed from further debates after Mr. Christensen and others debated the issue with them.

Labor Opposes PR

Led by PAC, labor in general is opposed to the referendum to increase the terms of city councilmen to four years. No campaign was waged on this issue and it is generally conceded that it will be snowed under by the voters at next Tuesday's election. According to political observers and many members of the PAC, the amendment was placed on the ballot by Kenton D. Keilholtz and his Toledo Small Businessmen's Association to confuse the voters on the PR repeal amendment and becloud the issue.

Three levies on the issue ballot have been given official CIO endorsement by the Toledo Industrial Union Council. Approved are the Union Depot Plaza, new general hospitanl and health center and the tax levy providing funds for the Board of Education. The United Toledo Committee is waging a last minute, but concentrated campaign to get the bond issues passed, but it is generally conceded that the only ones which have a chance to win are those which have received the backing of the Toledo Industrial Union Council.

Incumbent Favored

Favored to retain their seats in Council are the present members of the body although several candidates have tossed in their hats who will show surprising strength. One of these is Leonard E. Donovan, assistant county prosecutor and former municipal court judge. The name of Donovan has been politically successful in Toledo for many years and it is believed that Mr. Donovan will run strong and possibly be elected.

Strong opposition to Councilman Ollie Czelusta is being given by Harry E. Lipski of the 4th ward. Mr. Lipski's position has been strengthened by the PAC endorsement given to him on Tuesday eevning of this week.

PAC is making a concentrated drive to get out the vote for next Tuesday's election in order to put over the repeal of the PR section of the city charter as well as to get out a record vote for Tom Burke. Organization of PAC groups to work in the various wards was completed at the PAC meeting held on Wednesday evening of this week and a vigorous drive will be launched to complete the campaign by a good vote turnout.

Voting booths will be open next Tuesday from 6:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m.

Issues and the judicial ballot will be counted immediately following the closing of the voting booths, but the official PR count will not begin until about a week from today. The official count requires about one week and it will probably be about November 16 before the voters know who has been elected to City Council.

Conscription Plea Falls On Frigid Congress

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clean up the present mess and then consider what we should do."

While CIO comment was temporarily withheld pending the CIO executive Board meeting Nov. 1 and 2 here, individual CIO leaders made no secret of their disapproval of the plan. Most of them have urged some sort of peacetime service to the nation for youth, matched with a program for improving the health, knowledge, and training for jobs for young Americans.

PAC Hits Message

The Nat'l Citizens Political Action Committee said that the Truman message was a "grim, sad warning that our national leadership has not awakened to the real implications of the atomic age."

Truman based his appeal on the necessity for armed strength sufficient to meet any future aggressors — generally interpreted here as applying almost exclusively to the Soviet Union — and to demonstrate U. S. sincerity in supporting the United Nations Organization.

Proposals have been advanced in recent months by House minority leader Joseph Martin, Socialist leader Norman Thomas, and the Nat'l Council Against Peacetime Conscription Now — which includes many labor figures — that a sincere attempt be made by the United States government to enter into an agreement with the Soviet and British governments to outlaw peacetime conscription in all three of the major powers. Martin introduced a resolution to this effect into Congress before the Yalta conference, but the measure has been ignored by President Truman.

Congress is not expected to act quickly on the proposal, which has been pending before committees since long before the end of the war. Almost no applause greeted Truman's message, and no members of Congress indicated any change of opinion as a result of the speech. Hearings start before the House Military Affairs Committee Nov. 8 and are not even scheduled yet in the Senate.

If You Work—Vote For Burke

Maybe "Daddy" Will Help

BRIDGEPORT, Conn. (LPA) —"Orphan Annie's" creator, Harold Gray, was sued for libel damages of $10,000 last week by Robert C. Flack, N. Y. lawyer. He charged that a sequence in the strip, holding a ration-board-chairman named Flask to ridicule, was a "thinly disguised" caricature of himself, since, until it was liquidated recently, the lawyer was chairman of his local board. However, since Gray's gas coupons came from another board, Flask said it couldn't have been because he refused the anti-labor cartoonist extra gas.

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sons for the Schoonmaker resignation. I will try to set forth here the actual story of the whole affair, with some of my opinions on the subject.

Not Deep

There have been many suspicions and inferences that there may be motives and reasons for this whole affair than those which appear on the surface. I don't think so. You would have to understand and know the publisher of the Blade in order to fully appreciate this. I believe he is sincere in his motives and opinions. In fact I think he has stuck his neck out further than he ever intended to do.

Mr. Block is very much interested in a progressive city. It is the dream of his life that Toledo be such a city. To that end he created the idea of "Toledo Tomorrow" and financed its accomplishment. "Toledo Tomorrow's" greatest worth is that it started people thinking about the shape of communities of the future, although, in itself, it may seem like an impractical dream to many.

Mr. Block was so wrapped up in his dream of a progressive Toledo of the future that he became an easy prey to advisers who had other axes to grind. Thus he was not able to go into this thing of attempting to obtain his dream with his eyes wide open. Mr. Block was sold a bill of goods. By purchasing the bill of goods he has put himself in the position of trying to be the man who controls the destiny of the town. This was unfortunate because he didn't realize that no one individual will ever again be in that position in Toledo and also that the very people who sold him the idea wouldn't permit him to be in that position anyway.

What Is It?

Now what is this bill of good that was sold? A large and powerful syndicate, not for the best interests of the city, are casting longing eyes hoping to get a strangle hold on the town. This group has emissaries everywhere and these emissaries are persuasive. One man stood in the way of that stranglehold. That man was the safety director. In order to remove him it was felt that the City Manager had to be removed. Mr. Block has persuaded himself that the City Manager was not progressive and forward looking enough to set the city on the road toward the accomplishment of Mr. Block's dream, a good and progressive city.

Mr. Block was further persuaded on the idea of what good is a clean town if it is a dead town with no progressiveness. However, it was said and is evidence of the complete selling of the aforementioned bill of goods. It is ridiculous to think that Mr. Block or the Blade would actually be for this sort of thing.

The Blade has made great to-do about a difference between an original letter and and edited version which I read in public. The letters are the same as to sense and meaning. Further, I heard Mr. DeAngelo recite verbally the whole conversation between he and Mr. Block. I don't think he will deny this, in fact, if he is asked I think he will affirm it. The Blade has been picking pin feathers and grabbing at straws on the whole issue. I don't see why it doesn't come out flat-footed and say: Yes, it happened — it was unfortunate — and our position is not in favor of an open town because we believe a town can be both clean and progressive.

What About Labor

What does all of this mean to Labor? Simply this — Organized labor will stand shoulder to shoulder with Mr. Block, the Blade, and all other people to make Toledo a progressive city; a city of happy homes with a high American standard of living. Organized Labor can never subscribe to an open town because it means pay checks channelled down underworld sewers, misery, a low standard of living, and violence in labor-management disputes. Open towns have always meant cracked skulls on picket lines and Organized Labor in Toledo will not stand for that.

In conclusion I want to say that Mr. Schoonmaker is progressive because he is a liberal. He has inherited the trials and tribulations of a city that was deeply wounded by the economic holocaust of the early thirties. These wounds themselves were caused by the selfish, non-progressive, and reactionary thinking of the city's industrial and financial leaders of the past. Mr. Schoonmaker has given Toledo an honest, clean and progressive (within the means at hand) administration. Any city administration cannot give progressive leadership unless the citizens of the town unite on a progressive program in support of the administration. This cannot be done as long as we have the PR system which divides instead of uniting.

L-M Conference To Begin Monday

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bargaining in every instance where workers choose to organize to bargain collectively on questions of wages, hours and working conditions.

"2. The extent to which industrial disputes can be minimized by full and genuine acceptance by organized labor of the inherent right and responsibilities of management to direct the operation of an enterprise.

"3. The extent to which industrial disputes can be minimized by the willingness of management and workers to utilize the machinery of the National Labor Relations Act and any existing State labor relations acts for prompt determination of the collective bargaining agencies.

Emphasize Industrial Fight

"4. The extent to which industrial disputes can be minimized by recognized and orderly procedure to negotiate first contracts between a union and an employer and the extent to which provision should be made for the use of conciliation, if negotiations seem to be breaking down.

"5. The extent to which industrial disputes can be minimized by provisions incorporated in collective bargaining agreements...

"6. To prevent industrial disputes from taking place, should provision be made for improving and strengthening the conciliation service of the United States Department of Labor, and should there be additional support for the operation of this service?

"7. What provision should be made for lessening or preventing strikes which come from jurisdictional or other inter-union disputes?"

Judge Walter P. Stacy, veteran of railroad labor disputes, which he has mediated under the Coolidge, Hoover and Roosevelt administrations is serving as chairman, and Dr. George W. Taylor, former War Labor Board head, has been named secretary.

UAW Wins Another Election

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Richard Gosser, UAW-CIO regional director of Toledo.

Mr. Gosser, in expressing his satisfaction with the outcome of the election, said, "I want to thank those employees of the Hobart Mfg. Co. who gave us their assistance during the drive, as well as those who had charge of the organizational work. I again want to remind the organizers that the best way we can show our concern for the problems of the workers in the plant is to get them higher wages to which they are entitled."

All are attached to the office of Harold Tull will be in charge of contract negotiations as soon as the arrangements have been completed between the union and company management for meetings.

Surplus Property Zooms

WASHINGTON (LPA)—After V-J Day, the amount of surplus government property rose, in month of September, 2 above the August level, it announced here last week. So far, through sales, leases and loans, the government has received about half of the original cost of the almost $2 billion worth of material.

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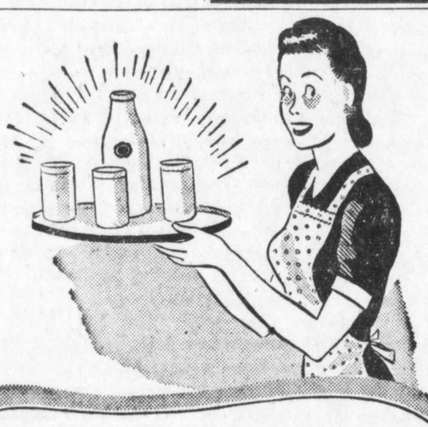
Round and Square Dancing Wednesday, Friday and Saturday
Norman Bartlett, Host of the Evening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A Man And An Issue

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made to eliminate the PR system, but it is the first time that the PR group has definitely been forced to show their true colors.

For the first time, people who sold PR to Toledo and who have since managed to maintain it here have come out in the open. It is not so much an attempt on their part to retain PR as such, but an attempt to create in the open the same prejudice and hatreds which they were able to accomplish by more subtle methods under the PR system.

This year, it is not only the PR which is at stake, but the Committee Against the PAC. The committee which is against the PAC is against every worker in this city whether a member of the PAC or not, and the proof lies in the men and interests who have hired orators and publicity men and created a campaign of fear and bigotry against labor because PAC has sponsored the amendment to repeal PR and bring back an American system of electing our city officials.

If you want to vote against the Chamber of Commerce, the Small Businessmen's Association, the utilities and a select group of financial interests who are definitely opposed to the workers of this community, then, for your own sake, for the sake of the good of this community, and in the name of common sense vote FOR THE AMENDMENT which elects nine men where oll your votes count and in which those who receive the highest number of votes are elected.

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Seeing Eye—W-O Unit

We cannot ask for better publicity than Tom Burke has been receiving since the City Manager and his two aids have resigned.

We are asking you to vote (1) first choice for Tom Burke, labor's candidate for council. Vote for Grzezinski for Judge of Municipal Court and Landon Hall for Clerk of Courts. Vote for the amendment to the city charter for the repeal of Proportional Representation. Vote "No" on the four year term for Councilmen.

BONUS CHECKS

To those who worked in the Ammunition Hoist and Dept. 404, your bonus checks are now ready. Also a large group of workers have been checked for shortages and the following names and amounts are yours for the asking and identifying yourself at the payroll office: Russel J. Perry 48 cents, David Vaughn 48 cents, Clay White $42.47, Lewis C. Childs $41.10, Clarence Hines $3.36, Henry Oaten 48 cents, Connie Havier $72.29, Tamie L. Murdock 48 cents, Jesse Gray 96 cents, Robert Clark 96 cents, Fred Myles 48 cents, James S. Enoch $15.75, George Williams $12.00, Orval Gooch $2.79, John W. Emanuel $6.48, Ralph Golden $14.40, David Lacy $11.28, Harold Snow 96 cents, C. L. Boose $1.17, William Sanders Jr. $38.09, Aresee Gibson $1.44, Buster Allen 47 cents, Sadie Davis 48 cents, Ernest H. Miller $2.64, L. C. Casper $1.44, Paul R. Jones $10.68, Laurence E. Flagg $8.13, Malous Greer, 96 cents, Randall Winters 96, George W Blakeney $1.68, Willis F. Mosely $14.62, Willie Randall 87 cents, Lester Williams 48 cents, Asa Duhart 48 cents.

Many workers are asking how we buy a vice, benches, and small machines that are used to manufacture death dealing weapons. We wish we knew. It seems the company and the Government would rather sell these articles to some company which will make a two or three hundred percent profit on them, rather than sell to the workers who do not have much cash to invest. How about selling some nails and spikes also.

BURKE RALLY

To all citizens of the 20th Ward a Burke for Council meeting will be held in Sokol Hall, corner Moravan and Valentine Streets Monday, November 5th, 1945 at 8:0^ P. M. The public is invited. Good speakers. Let's all go. Refreshments will be served.

The Standard Bulletin

Local 497—Standard Products—Port Clinton

Sergt. Chuck Beshart, a former employe of Standard Products, recently released from Jap prison camp is home.

Hazel McCoskey will soon be known as Mrs. H. D. Dreisbach.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to Mrs. Maud Lubske upon the loss of her son, Leroy.

Michael Hrupcho is happy because his brother Joe has been released from Jap prison camp and will soon be home.

Local 497 was well represented at the recent Columbus legislative conference.

Floyd and Mrs. Finken named their new baby Beatrice Elizabeth.

Mrs. Catherine Klinger is recovering from her operation.

Maybe Charlotte's absence two weeks ago was because somebody came home.

Josephine Barboric has been seriously ill. As this was written she was improved.

Congrats to Charles Biers, who was appointed to serve on the Ottawa County Soldiers and Sailors Relief Commission.

Bobby Rull has been discharged from the Army after three years of combat duty in Europe.

Harry Westfall did tell us that he was reporting back to mechanical.

Delores Wierzba, formerly of the cafeteria, is in the Pittman bazaar.

Hank Wierzba will soon be putting the bees away for the winter.

Lee Philabaum has gone with the Sam Amato Auto Agency and Garage.

Anyone finding a stray horse is requested to notify the polezi.

Things have really been happening for Mr. and Mrs. John Wazniak, Sr. Mildred was married to Pfc. Kodor on Oct. 13 and on the 17th, John Jr. was back with them with his Army discharge.

You working people are the balance of power in this country. Why don't you get active in PAC and make that power effective.

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Canco Unit Opener

By Carmen Nader

JUST KNOCKIN' AROUND

Apples are a fruit that can be served in many different ways, if you like them sweetened, there's apple dumplings; if you like them baked there's apple pie, and if you like applesauce, there's Ed Koperski in Dept. 2 and here he comes now!

At a recent meeting of the Timekeepers Sewing Circle the members present voted in ??? as a member in good standing. They are proud of her, the only Gal in the shop who is an honorary sew and sew.

The hunting season is open, and most hunters wish it could last longer than it does. But we know a man who doesn't worry how short the season is, because he gets the bird (Cheap! cheap!) every morning.

We are happy to report that Martha Heltman, Lottie Katafias, and Jacob Schmidt are feeling fine after their extended illnesses.

Latest report has it that Frank Jankowski, Adolphe Burcewicz, Andy Zapiecki and Bill Demski intend to keep their home fires burning now that they have their military discharge papers.

CALENDAR COPY

If one fall he shall be supported by the other: woe to him that is alone.

Do not become like the horse and the mule, who have no understanding.

Nov. 6th is Election Day! Won't you please urge your relatives and friends to reserve their first choice vote for Tom Burke. His past record merits your consideration. We wish to express our appreciation for your cooperation in sending Tom Burke back to Our City Council.

HELLO, AGAIN!

Just wanted to add that, if by some chance you have already promised your first choice vote to someone else, your second choice vote will help a lot.

Ragging The Scale

By Elsie Jaye

Few people outside assembly know how backward Gale Miller is. He even runs a left-hand counter bore with a right hand motor.

Randy Berry is allergic to our feathered friends, especially Duck. And can they (Randy and Dick) put on the "after you my dear Gaston" act after all the practice they have had lately.

Mac McGillivary the jovial "Blue Goose" driver is in the hospital. Get well quick Mac.

Also on the sick list are Iona Forbes, assembly No. 1; Pete Martin in Levers and Porky Hogg.

By the time this catches your eye (if it does) Bill Schindler and "Squinty" Hill will have settled it via shades of Jack Dempsey. (Just kidding folks).

One of the boys whom we are proud to welcome back from the armed forces is Felix Hutchinson in No. 25. He informed his boss that they didn't call it piecework in the Army—just double time.

As if the time study wasn't corny enough already they have to make it still more Cornish. First name Ernest.

Things worth seeing—Harvey Parker reading his "Times" on piecework . . . Clyde Justus ribbing Firestone and Bill Machaterre without a chew.

The Scale Unit deeply appreciates the contribution made by Ollie Pecord at a recent round table session at the "Toots" Martin household. He gave, but grudgingly and claims that Bill Kenny can read the cards better from the back than from the front. "Muscles" Billheimer also did his bit toward aiding the Kenny fortune.

Affiliatin Herman sez: "Yes verily, it is more blessed to give than to receive, especially aprons tied in knots, machine handles greased and stuffed chuks. I'll give the War Chest an added $10 to find out whodunnit."

National Supply Unit News

Our issues in the plant, men over 70, women employes and the 30 per cent wage increase means a court hearing on the seniority cases and an emphatic "no" on the wages.

The company agreed with us that we should have an increase in wages but said that at the present time the money isn't there. They have hearts of gold and good words, but they don't pay off on that score.

Louis Hoerig, after becoming the father of a baby girl up and quit his job and is about to learn the undertaking business in Tiffin, Ohio. We wish him loads of luck.

There has been a question in the minds of some of the boys in Dept. 81 about whether H. Black was old enough to shave. The question is solved. He was observed the other day pulling out the pin feathers with tweezers.

Chairman Marks and Committeeman "Frosty" Richards have returned from a hunting trip in the Dakotas. Frosty's gun needed oiling, so he inquired of one of the natives where he could purchase some. The guy said he had some, so Frosty used the oil so generously offered. When the gun still wouldn't work, Frosty inquired of the native about the oil and was informed that it was snake oil.

Brothers Berry, Rarick and Lee attended the recent Columbus CIO-PAC legislative session.

Chairman Marks, vice-chairman Pund and L. Carter and George Pund attended the Piqua regional conference.

Frank Zachman, tool crib No. 3 came to work the other day with a first aid bandage between his eyes. Frankie's wife is developing a more deadly accuracy. Frank, however, claims that it was an accident.

Gus Zimmerman, Dept. 6, did it again. He took off another day, his second in the past 10 years. Don't overdo it, Gus.

Steel Products Valv-O-Lite

An unexpected setback occurred to the UAW-CIO's drive to organize Thompson Products and Thompson Aircraft Products, both of Cleveland, when the Auto Workers lost a recent election, Mr. Crawford and his associates might as well face it, they will eventually have to deal with the UAW-CIO.

We don't think this is whistling in the dark. The machinery is already in motion and when the opportune time comes will go into high gear.

Our union never says die and we should take courage when we see what has occurred in other plants in and out of Toledo where the UAW-CIO has been defeated, one, two or more times and came back to win.

One of the ways to aid in the organizational fight is to pay your dues and give your officers your cooperation. Your executive committee is ready to represent you whenever need arises. Call on them any time.

O'Donnell Agrees He Lied

WASHINGTON (LPA)—Washingtonians and New Yorkers were gasping last week over the admission by John O'Donnell, columnist for the Times-Herald and N. Y. Daily News, that he had printed a lie. O'Donnell, ranked with Westbrook Pegler as wielding a vicious pen on labor and liberal causes, had said that influential Jews had pressured the removal of Gen. Patton from his command of the Third Army. O'Donnell had stated that the hospitalized soldier slapped by Gen. Patton at the height of the war in Europe was Jewish. This was proven untrue by numerous other coiumnists, as well as by the soldier himself, a member of a Protestant sect.

Mather Unit Mutterings

By Jim Foltz

Mather Spring Co. has a first aid room almost 11½ feet long and 8½ feet wide. At present it is cluttered up by an opened crate nearly four feet square. In this magnificent first aid room are many contraptions for the benefit of the approximate 300 employees. There is a tea kettle of hot water always at hand and a small roaster too. These are apparently for sterilizing purposes as there is no other sterilizing outfit there. In the vast array of equipment at hand are one teaspoon and an eye washing cup. There are two pairs of tweezers and a scalpel, none of which are entirely rusted over. Oh, yes, we have our eye wash, iodine, tape and gauze as well as several other containers at hand.

Management, isn't it grand to have so much available to aid your miserable help? Aren't you proud of the way first aid in this factory is handled? There is no one on hand at any time with any first aid training to boast about.

On Oct. 24 a forge room employe was injured about 7:30 a. m. The man received first aid after a fashion and was told to get to the hospital. No one offered to take him. He was told they would call a cab, but with cabs so uncertain this man found it necessary to call his wife to bring the car over for transportation to the hospital.

The employes of Mather are disgusted with the deplorable existing condition of our first aid and think it time someone in Management looked into the matter. Just a suggestion, if Management finds the financial condition of the company so deplorable that nothing can be done to remedy the situation, why not investigate the possibilities of the city-furnished services?

Airway Unit Airings

Before we start off with the enjoyable side of the story let us remind you to do your very best to attend all the PAC meetings possible. Back the PAC to the limit. There will be meetings in your own neighborhood from now until election, so watch your Union Journal for the time and place.

At the October meeting it was decided to have a party. A committee was selected and indications are that the party will be a huge success. The party will be held November 17th at Victory hall, Belmont and Detroit. The party will start with a "bang" at 8 o'clock with a jive session from Frank Mroz and his Melody Boys. So come and get in the swing of things Swing in early and sway out late (2:00 o'clock) and no pun intended. Have your fill of lunch and refreshments. Your dues card will admit husband or wife, friend or sweetheart.

Door prizes of $10.00, $7.00 and $3.00 will be given. See if you can't have a good time and win some money. This will be our biggest and best party. All we ask is for you to put in an appearance.

Ickes Backs Stilwell

WASHINGTON (LPA)—In a pungent letter, Interior Sec'y. Harold L. Ickes has commended Gen. Joe Stilwell for his stand against discrimination. Recently Stilwell proposed that his men of the 10th Army, veterans of Okinawa and other Pacific struggles, band together to protect their Nisei soldier comrades against "barfly commandos" who spread disease-bearing germs of racism, particularly on the West Coast, against Americans of Japanese descent.

GE Expansion Is Promised

SCHENECTADY (LPA) — "Healthy expansion" is General Electric's term for firing employes. In a statement, GE president Charles E. Wilson told employes that reductions from the war-time peak, or rearrangements in some departments, are merely "healthy expansion" to arrest industrial conditions. By the end of 1947, he said, GE expects to be employing twice as many people as before the war. He did not say what laid-off workers would live on meanwhile.

Toledo Stamping Notes

The guy who said that "no news is good news" never was a shop reporter. Looking over our notebook for the past week to see what happened, we find naught. So we had skull practice and came up with the following items:

That cute, and I do mean cute little red mustachio sported by a certain supervisor in miscellaneous dept. suggests a matinee idol, or do we mean idle?

And for another thing, Joe Juzyak should be given all the respect which should be paid an assistant foreman. Of course, he can't file a grievance.

Without any reports from sick members, it would look like the whole shop is alarming healthy. Anyhow, even if none are reported sick, but are sick, we hope this finds them back in the pink.

Whenever you see something hanging from one of the people's back in our shop, and it may be an old auto license tag, a chicken bone or lathe, you can put your small change on it thta Pete Johnson was the guy who did the dirty work.

If we don't get more news next week, we will make up some stuff about the folks and let them try and deny it. This is a warning, so get busy and give with the news.

Some Nazis Love Ford

WASHINGTON (LPA)—Labor leaders and officials in government labor agencies, who are waiting to see how Ford reacts to labor's new wage demands, were amused last week at two items of news from Europe. From Germany it was reported that the late and unlamented Dr. Ley, "fuehrer" of the Nazi labor organization, wrote a letter from his cell to Ford asking for a job. From Amsterdam it was reported that the managers of Ford Motor Co. in Holland "are being held on charges of collaborating with the Germans. The Amsterdam report was from the official Dutch news agency, Aneta.

Auto-Lite Meeting

Special Meeting of Auto-Lite Unit, Friday, November 2, 1945, Moose Hall.

Second shift workers will meet at 2:00 P. M.

First shift workers will meet at 4:00 P. M.

Third shift workers may attend either meeting.

PURPOSE: To determine if a strike vote is to be taken.

Executive Committee, John Begg, Chairman

Union Asks Public's Views

PORTLAND, Ore. (LPA) — The Lumber & Sawmill Workers, AFL, have taken their claim for $1.10 an hour work rate directly to the public. An ad in the Vancouver (daily) Sun, headed "A Labor Union's Report to the Public on the Lumber Strike" asks "Is $1.10 an hour unreasonable?" states the factors involved, and provides a reply coupon for tallying the public's opinion.

Outlook Is Not Bright

DES MOINES, Iowa (LPA)—People with snug incomes are pretty optimistic about the job outlook, the Iowa Poll reveals, but the figures practically reverse themselves when the "little feller" is consulted. Among profesionals, 71% are not worried at all; among unskilled, low-paid workers, only 43% can dig up a ray of hope as to whether or not they will have jobs in the next six to nine months.

Mothers' Union Advocated

CLEVELAND (LPA)—A "labor union for mothers" charter may be asked of the AFL by Mrs. Howard Siebert, whose "almost revolutionary" idea of raising America's standards by aiding the mother in the home is being widely discussed. Her own four children nearing or in their teens, Mrs. Siebert advocates a social security system to relieve mothers of more than two children of some of their heavier household duties, give them more time and energy for rearing the nexet generation of Americans.

Women Vets Lack Organization

WASHINGTON (LPA)—WACs, WAVEs and Women Marines, more than 200,000 servicewomen (as of top enrollment) are still voiceless in any veterans' organization, although their several headquarters revealed last week that lower point scores lead to the expectation that, by next July, 60,000 of the 100,000 WACs will have resumed civilian status, and the other women's services will be reduced in proportion.

Typos Get Pay Boost

WASHINGTON (LPA)—About 500 printers, members of Columbia Typographical Union 101, will receive a weekly pay raise of $6.10 from the four daily newspapers here. The new rate is for a 35-hour, five-day week, and is scaled for shift differentials.

ILWU-CIO Demands Wage Raise

The basic demands of the union are for $52.50 a week for the 30-hour week, Monday through Friday, with no night, overtime, Saturday or Sunday work.

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PAC Endorsements

Those who have had occasion to seek the endorsement of the Political Action Committee know that the stamp of approval is not placed lightly upon candidates for public office.

Before a candidate for office can secure the backing of the PAC, he must measure up to the standards which have been set for those who receive the endorsement of the organization.

Two of those who have received the backing of the Political Action Committee in next Tuesday's election in addition to Councilman Tom Burke are Judge Stanley A. Grzezinski and Landon Hall, candidates for judge and clerk respectively of the municipal court.

Judge Grzezinski has never tried to keep his stand for labor secret. He has been fair and impartial in his dealings with the workers who have had occasion to appear before him, and at all times has treated all citizens of this community as people and not just cases.

PAC in giving Judge Grzezinski its complete backing does so with the wish to further good government in Toledo. The organizatio nbelieves that the 15 months Judge Grzezinski has served on the bench has marked him as one of the outstanding men in this community and is convinced that he has shown his ability as a jurist. It recommends him, not only to the members of CIO who will vote next Tuesday, but to all workers and the plain people of Toledo.

Landon Hall has served long enough in the municipal clerk's office to be well and favorably known to every citizen of this city. He has received PAC support each time he has sought re-election and has shown by his conduct in office that he is worthy of the continued confidence and votes of all the people.

We recommend both Judge Grzezinski and Landon Hall to the voters of Toledo and sincerely hope that they will both win in next Tuesday's election.

Four Year Term

On the issues ballot will be found the amendment to the city charter increasing the terms of councilmen to four years. The amendment which has had no backing during the campaign should be decisively defeated. The very fact that nobody has had the courage to work for this referendum should stamp it for what it really was intended to be—a smokescreen to becloud the PR issue.

Kenton D. Keilholtz and the same group of reactionary businessmen who have paid their money in order to perpetuate the PR system were the sponsors of this referendum, which immediately should make it very evident that the sponsors of the amendment were not sincere, but merely wished to use this device as an expedient to obstruct the wishes of the majority of the citizens of Toledo.

When you vote Tuesday, be sure and vote the issues ballot. It will be the largest ballot handed to you, and when you vote cast your ballot against the referendum which would increase the term of councilmen to four years.

The Victory Loan

In the face of increasing unemployment, lowered take-home pay, retarded reconversion and an employers' sitdown strike against the workers, it may seem a trifle untimely to ask the American people to subscribe to the final and Victory Loan drive.

Those who are fortunate enough to have jobs, as well as those whose business has experienced an upsurge as a result of the ending of the war would do well to consider subscribing to the Victory Loan Drive and for the same reasons which activated them when they purchased bonds for the other drives during the war.

Many of those who now are finding it necessary to cash in their bonds because of the pressure of economic necessity realize that the bonds have provided them with a quick and certain incme which they otherwise might not have had. It was a savings for them and an asset for the government at a time when the money was sorely nedeed.

If you can possibly do so buy bonds. If possible hold them as long as you can.

KEEPING SCORE

With
Fred Thomas

ANCIENT DEVICE

An ancient device to cover one's own guilt is to accuse someone else of the thing for which you stand accused. In recent days we have seen some of the nation's "unselfish" corporations turning on the labor movement in this country and accusing it of irresponsibility. The most fitting answer to this was delivered on September 3 last, by Secretary of Labor Schwellenbach. He said:

"Management had the opportunity—an almost unlimited opportunity—to assume its responsibilities to the common good throughout much of the last 100 years and even before that time. But management surrendered its right and its opportunity by practices which brought on the demand for Government regulation . . . Labor now has the opportunity to solve its problems and to make certain that the common good is not transgressed."

In that single paragraph, the secretary of labor compressed 100 years of privation and misery suffered by labor at the hands of "irresponsible" management. A dip into the history of the labor movement, here and abroad, shows historians in bitter condemnation of employers who took an attitude that a worker was a piece of merchandise to be bought as cheaply as possible, and treated with indifference. This attitude was so thoroughly irresponsible that it led to a virile union movement and to more and more government centralization. Had management, through the last 100 years, taken a "responsible" attitude toward labor, there might be some reason to doubt if the union movement ever would have gained headway and if the governments of the world would have moved (as they have been moving) toward Socialism. Anyone who pretends to speak with historical accuracy has only to look at the history of management, here and abroad, in the last century to find the causes of social unrest, and the seeds of warfare.

WIDE SPREAD RESPONSIBILITY

Such a reading of history indicates that managerial irresponsibility has been so widespread, so gross, that workers have been forced (at great effort and peril) to take their destinies into their own hands.

It comes as something of a shock, therefore, when we hear management, through press and radio, declaring that labor must assume a more responsible attitude. Despite obvious distortion of the present General Motors situation, it is clear that the United Automobile Workers are the responsible ones here; General Motors the irresponsible ones.

The UAW is clearly stating that it wants no pay increase if it means passing on the increase to the public. General Motors, on the other hand, takes the "irresponsible" view that it will grant a pay increase if the public can be made to absorb it through higher-priced automobiles. This attitude of GM is patiently irresponsible in the face of figures presented by UAW, and more recently by a neutral government agency, to show that industry can absorb substantial wage increases, without increasing prices to the public. General Motors' irresponsibility was further illustrated in its refusal to open its books to prove whether it could support such an increase, and its denial of the press and the public to the wage negotiation hearings.

The attitude of General Motors is typical of the attitude of management in general down through the last century. It was best summed up in a statement by GM this week: "Our profits are our own business." To long-suffering labor—to a helpless public—this statement no longer can be swallowed. Exorbitant profits at the expense of payrolls and the purchasing public definitely are the common concern.

It's News To Me . . .

By O. J. Pecord

ELECTION DAY 1945

Based on the issues which are presented to the citizens of Toledo this year, next Tuesday's election should see a record-breaking turnout of voters.

Of greatest importance to the people of this city is the election of nine members of the City Council and the fate of the PR system of electing them.

In England, France and some of the other countries which have just come out of World War II, there is a definite trend to labor. Labor is on the march everywhere, because it recognizes its importance, both in peace and war, and because it wants a voice in its own destiny.

While we in Toledo have not yet reached the stage where labor votes as a unit, we have slowly but surely made progress to the point where today, if we so desired, we could elect Tom Burke, labor's only representative in our City Council, on the first ballot.

If labor in Toledo ever did succeed in electing Tom Burke in first or second position, you could bet your bottom dollar that it would scare Hell out of a lot of people, not because Tom is one of those wild eyed public servants which some of the stupid retactionaries picture a labor representative to be; but because even some of the wise guys on the other side of the economic fence would recognize its implications.

At any rate, it is my hope that labor will elect Tom Burke in second, third or fourth position and that he will win despite the PR rather than because of it. It looks like he will.

REPEAL THE PR

Of equal importance to the election of nine city councilmen is the passage of the amendment to the city charter which would eliminate the screwy PR system with which we have been saddled for the past ten years and give us an American system of voting for nine men by marking their names with an X, and having all nine votes counted.

Under the PR system, we vote for as many men as there are running numbering them from 1 to 20 or whatever number are in the race and then having our votes count for only one. Worst of all, we never know which one of our choices counts or for what candidate, hence, we find ourselves in the position of possibly having our vote count for somebody we don't want.

In a case where our vote does count for some candidate we don't want, and we never know who gets it, there doesn't seem much sense in voting because we can get what we don't want without voting for it. This is complicated to understand, that is true, but that is the PR sysem and if you like it you can have it. For my own part, it is one of the things that England gave us without a fight and we should give it back to the English who are adept at dividing and ruling.

JUDICIAL TICKET

We are always anxious to vote people into office who will legislate for us, but for some reason or other. we fail to appreciate the fact that the administration of our laws is just as important as manufacuring them.

I want to call the attention of the readers of this column to the judicial ticket on which the name of Stanley Grzezinski will be found. Be sure and take the judicial ballot and place your X before his name.

Judge Grzezinski has been one of the fairest and most impartial judges to ever grace the bench of the municipal court. He has been fair to labor and even friendly. He does not administer stiff-necked justice, but tempers justice with mercy. Your vote for Judge Grzezinski will be well placed, and if he is elected, he will continue to serve with the same fine spirit of cooperation and fair play which has marked his term so far on the municipal bench.

Another for whom I scarcely need beat the drums is Landon Hall. He has been a high type public servant who has on many occasions shown his friendship for organized labor. As clerk of municipal court, Landon Hall has been efficient, courteous and cooperative and deserves the X which you should be sure to place before his name.

FOUR YEAR TERM

When the heat was on the PR, Kenneth Keilholtz and some of the other master minds of the Chamber of Commerce and Toledo Small Businessmen's Association devised the idea of beclouding the PR referendum with another one to increase the terms of councilmen elected under PR to four years.

It seems scarcely necessary for me to point out that its bad enough to have councilmen elected under the PR system without electing them for four years instead of the customary two. Moreover, Mr. Keilholtz and his fellow conspirators had very little difficulty in getting Council to put the amendment on the ballot, whereas PAC had to beat the bushes and ring thousands of door bells to get the PR repeal amendment on the issues ticket.

You know what to do—vote against the amendment to increase the term of councilmen to four years. If we must keep PR, let us by all means keep the two year term.

USE THE SAMPLE

On page 7 of this week's JOURNAL, you will find the recommendations of PAC for your consideration in voting. These selections were made after mature reflection and weighing well the consequences that would arise in the event that either success or failure came. Cut out the issues and other marked ballots and take them into the voting booth with you. Mark your ballot according to the PAC recommendations and in doing so insure the election of Tom Burke, defeat PR once and for all, defeat the four year term for councilmen and elect Judge Grzezinski and Landon Hall.

BE SURE TO VOTE NEXT TUESDAY. YOU CAN'T WIN BY STAYING AT HOME.

Political Action

by
Clayton Rusch
Chairman
of the Political Action Committee

ISSUES

Full employment, that is jobs for all at living wages and World Peace are issues which are at stake in this coming city election. At first glance the foregoing statement appears to stretch the point quite a bit. As a matter of fact, it is no exaggeration at all.

In 1946 there will be a decisive election in Congress and the State legislators. If the champions of liberal thought win out we will have National and State legislative bodies which will enact laws to assure full participation of the United States in a world federation to maintain world peace and full employment. If the reactionary elements win out in 1946 we will have depression, poverty and all their attendant evils.

Lucas County and Toledo has a big part to play in the 1946 election, IF we succeed in re-electing Tom Burke and repealing P. R. this year.

If we fail to abolish PR (under which the voter only has one vote, altho there are nine vacancies and only 10% of the total vote is required to elect a candidate) and re-elect Tom Burke who has done an outstanding job in city council, the influence of the CIO-PAC will most assuredly be impaired.

These reasons alone are sufficient to warrant everyone doing all they can to assure the defeat of PR and the reelection of Tom Burke.

REPEAL PR

In addition there is good reason to work for the passage of the amendment to repeal PR even from a purely local viewpoint. PR is undemocratic, unfair, unnecessarily complicated, a gamble, and does not (as is claimed, give representation to minorities). It perpetuates a clique in office, creates an irresponsible city administration and discourages interest in city government. Nor is it mathematically accurate as its proponents claims.

Also from a purely local standpoint it is very important that Tom Burke be re-elected to City Council. He has sponsored legislation to improve conditions for the people. He has sponsored projects which will bring business and employment to our city. In the reconversion period a man of the caliber and background of Tom Burke is essential in our city government.

On November 6th opportunity will knock.

Let us resolve to be on the ball, and assure the defeat of PR and the reelection of Tom Burke.

Washington Labor Report

By Bradford V. Carter

The forthcoming Labor-management conference in Washington makes the issuance by the Twentieth Century Fund of the report and recommendations of its Labor Committee especially timely.

The Fund has some standing in this field. Its Labor Committee is made up of representative spokesmen from government, labor and management. In 1935, the Fund published a report titled Labor and Government which undoubtedly had much to do with the terms incorporated later in the National Labor Relations Act. All this is by way of saying that the Fund's reports are entitled to be listened to with respect and interest.

The present report purports to be based on a monumental study issued by the Fund and edited by Harry Millis, former chairman of the NLRB." How Collective Bargaining Works." The study in question was undoubtedly a first rate contribution, because it provided the detailed facts about collective bargaining, industry by industry.

WITHOUT BASIS

If the currently issued report had limited itself to the facts adduced in How Collective Bargaining Works, a much better job would have undoubtedly resulted. As a few members of the Committee point out in dissenting footnotes, much of the material has no basis in any systematic investigation. Many of the recommendations are simply opinions whose weight is lost because of the failure of one or another member of the Committee to concur.

Where there is unanimity of opinion the recommendations are so broadly stated that they have no practical significance. For example the committee apparently calls for more reliance on "pertinent data" and less on the give and take of the collective bargaining process. That's fine, but who is going to determine the pertinent data? Given the the refined hocus-pocus that passes for statistics, it is probably better all around that hunches, intuitions and common sense relegate the pertinent data to a secondary position in collective bargaining.

The Committee comes out in rather pat fashion for the encouragement of market-wide collective bargaining. That is, if an industry like steel or autos operates in a national market, as these do, the collective bargaining should take place on a national basis. This would have the effect, it is said, of minimizing wage competition over the nation.

IGNORES DIVERSITY

On paper this looks persuasive. But it ignores what the report has elsewhere recognized as the bewildering diversity of the conditions surrounding collective bargaining in thousands of particular situations. With all due respect to the Committee it is nonsense to lay down a general principle of this character in a process like collective bargaining which is interlaced with so many differences in industry conditions, personalities, and degree of organization.

The Committee, with several dissenting opinions by the labor members Robert Watt of the AFL and Clinton Golden of the CIO, as well as by Edwin Witte and William H. Davis, enters into an analysis of inner-union government. This is based on no thorough investigation by the Fund or anyone else. One has the feeling that this part of the recommendations is based on newspaper headlines and hearsay, both of which are extremely unreliable on this subject.

I can't help feeling that this report of the Twentieth Century Fund is far below the standards set in previous efforts. Many of the recommendations are exercises in semantics, in that anyone can read into them anything they want to. The more significant recommendations do not seem to flow from any profound knowledge of the details. The only good thing I can say about it is that it is skillfully written.

"The price of so-called 'economic freedom' is too high if it is bought at the cost of idleness and misery for millions."

—From British Labor Party Pamphlet.

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Senator Robert A. Taft in one week cast two critical votes against U. S. workers—voting against improved unemployment insurance and the Full Employment Bill.

Regional Views

By Richard Gosser
Director Region 2B, UAW-CIO

OUR DUTY

Election day is almost here and it becomes the duty of every good citizen to go to the polls and express himself on the men who are running for office and the various issues which face us.

I cannot urge you too strongly to exercise your citizenship next Tuesday and play your part in this community. We of the labor unions like to believe that we are good Americans and good citizens, but one of the marks of good citizenship and Americanism is to make our contribution to the community and take a part in directing its destiny.

One of the most important things to the workers of Toledo is to return Tom Burke to the City Council. I don't think I should go into any long explanation of why I think Tom should be returned, because it is my belief that each of you know the reasons why as well, or better than I. I ask that you give him your first choice votes and try and elect him on the first ballot. If you have made previous commitments to another for your first choice vote, then give him your second choice vote; but vote for him and make it near the top of the list.

PR REFERENDUM

Next to the council election, we are interested in trying to change the method of electing members of City Council so that those who run for public office will stand on their own two feet and be elected on their own merits.

I know that the system which has been offered as the alternative for the PR system is not perfect, no method is; but it seems to me that it is an advance over the system now in use and gives us the opportunity to vote for nine men and have all nine votes counted.

Should the PR be defeated, City Council has its right, according to the city charter, to name a charter commission to devise ways and means to elect city councilmen outside of the PR system. I want to say that we would be more than willing to discuss any plan that would be generally acceptable to the majority of the people of Toledo if the PR is defeated and that if some other better plan is advanced we would not refuse to go along with it.

We have tried to get on common ground with all the groups who have sought and attempted to rid this city of the PR system and I say that we will not attempt to hold ourselves aloof from such groups in the event that PR is defeated.

I hope that every worker in this city will vote on the PR issue and that they will vcte for the amendment sponsored by the PAC. It will be the first step forward to give us a method of electing city councilmen that is better understood and which will place us in a position to get more representative and responsible government.

From The Desk

of
Melvin Schultz
President,
Local 12, UAW-CIO

It seems that with another week having passed, there is no change of any great magnitude in the wage situation nationally. The General Motors' workers, as you have noted in the daily press, have voted overwhelmingly in favor of backing up their demands for a wage increase. Here, in Toledo, the vote carried by approximately 93 per cent majority.

It seems to me that when the UAW representative in negotiations with General Motors' management challenged the management to conduct the negotiations before representatives of the press and his challenge was not accepted, the management was convicted of being in a position to concede to the demands of its workers. Of all of the reasons which I have stated in previous articles which justify the payment of the demands made by our Union, I would like to add just one more thought. It seems to me that we must consider the efficiency of every worker when his hours are decreased. Just imagine yourself working 9, 10, or 11 hours six or seven days a week and then reducing the number of hours of work down to not more than 8 in one day and not more than five days a week and you can readily understand that you are physically able to produce more in the short work week than could be produced by yourself in the same period of time out of a long work week. This increase in efficiency will result in profits for the Corporation. It is only logical that these increased profits are directly attributable to the man working on the machine and; therefore, this percentage of profits should largely go to him.

I myself, and I am quite sure that each of my readers, if they will but analyze their own nature, will readily agree that with the return to a normal 40-hour week, we are more likely to work every day barring serious illness then were we to continue under the wartime necessity of long work weeks. This, too, results in an increase in efficiency of a plant resulting in profits.

It is not my desire to write this and other articles in a defensive way but rather that I can show the logic and reasoning to the general public who too often do not analyze situations when they are improperly headlined in many of the papers in our Country. It is my hope that with the few thoughts that I may offer I will be able to start a thinking person to think more deeply.

Evidence of how our "friendly" enemies, he Ohio Chamber of Commerce, speak about us is found in a letter to C. of C. members: "If the CIO-PAC Federal Legislative program succeeds, the government moves in as the new management of your company."

"Week-End at the Waldorf" is New All-Star M-G-M Hit

Ginger Rogers, Walter Pidgeon, Lana Turner, Van Johnson, Are Starred In New M-G-M Hit

by Burny Zawodny

Thrills, romance and intrigue have been deftly blended in "Week-End at the Waldorf" to bring us one of the year's outstanding movies. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, the producers, have spared no talent to make the new picture, now showing at the Valentine Theatre, an undeniable hit.

A glance at the cast is sufficient to underscore what is meant. There are Ginger Rogers, Lana Turner, Walter Pidgeon, Van Johnson, Edward Arnold, Robert Benchley, Keenan Wynn, Phyllis Thaxter, Lina Romay and Xavier Cugat and his orchestra.

Burny Zawodny

All of these are at their best in an enchanting and clever story of 48 hours at the world's most famous luxury hotel in New York. Miss Rogers, as a glamorous but lonely movie star, has checked in to attend the premiere of her new picture. Miss Turner, as the public stenographer, has very private ideas about love; she is desperately seeking to escape from the Tenth Avenue where she was born, in favor of a penthouse on Park Avenue.

Pidgeon is a weary war correspondent, fresh from the battlefield and about to go overseas again. All he wants to do is sleep, but the ingenious plot brings him to the suite occupied by Miss Rogers and—well, you'll have to see for yourself what happens. Van Johnson plays an Army flier with a shrapnel Bro[illegible] found near his heart which necon[illegible]sitates a major operation he may not survive. This week-end may be his last so, loaded down with flying pay, he is all set for a last fling—until he meets Lana.

These two wonderful romances provide the main plots of the story. There is also Edward Arnold, as a shady oil operator, who is attempting to "con" his way into a million dollar deal involving a visiting potentate from the ear East. All of these turn in excellent performances, under the deft direction of Robert Z. Leonard. The picture has been produced in the usual distinguished M-G-M manner by Arthur Hornblow, Jr.

You'll surely enjoy "Week-End at the Waldorf," so put it on your "must see" list.

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On the Jack Benny broadcast of Sunday, November 4, (NBC, 7 P. M. EST, with a repeat at 9:30 P. M. PST on West Coast), Mary Livingstone, Phil Harris, Rochester, and Don Wilson will watch Jack squirm as he is besieged by needy friends and relatives, to say nothing of a government tax collector. Steve Bradley, Benny's new press agent, passed out the information that Jack won $634,000 at the races but neglected to mention that this money wasn't actual but happy dreaming on Jack's part. Larry Stevens will sing "It Might As Well Be Spring."

Laura La Plante Returns To Screen

HOLLYWOOD—A famous star returned to the screen this week.

She is Laura La Plante, who starred in the original "Show Boat," "The Cat and the Canary," and countless other memorable screen hits of the past.

Miss La Plante has started portrayal of a role in M-G-M's "Army Brat," but this is not a so-called "screen comeback." For Laura La Plante voluntarily retired from pictures with the status of an internationally famous star — and voluntarily she returns.

In "Army Brat" Laura La Plante has a top-flight character role—that of an Army parent—and the actress will have many tender dramatic scenes with young "Butch" Jenkins, as well as her own screen daughter.

What's more, the veteran star's daughter in the film is a brand-newcomer to pictures — seven-year-old Luana Patten.

Van Johnson and Lana Turner, who co-star with Ginger Rogers and Walter Pidgeon in M-G-M's "Week-end at the Waldorf," are now showing at the Loew's Valentine Theatre.

Claude Prefers To Stay In Character!

HOLLYWOOD — Ten-year-old Claude Jarman Jr. would much rather be Jody Baxter than himself.

When he is Jody in M-G-M's picturization of "The Yearling," the tow-headed Nashville youngster finds life one continuous romp with Flag, the yearling deer of the Pulitzer Prize story. But during the four hours a day when he must be Claude Jarman Jr., he attends school.

Jody's school rgiht now is a one-room building constructed on the edge of Arrowhead Lake, where Director Clarence Brown has the company on location for several weeks.

Butch Now Learning Lines In Chinese

HOLLYWOOD — When a moppet screen star has to learn Chinese for a portrayal—that's the topper of them all.

In Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Army Brat," now being filmed at Fort Douglas, Utah, freckle-faced "Butch" Jenkins plays a typically American son of an Army officer.

In the film, "Butch" has as a close friend and confidant a Chinese houseboy. The script also calls for the youngster to speak many lines of the Far Eastern language with his pal, including the Lord's Prayer in its entirety!

As a result, Chingwah Lee, the actor portraying "Butch's" compatriot, has the added role of a professor.

He is teaching "Butch" Chinese.

News and Gossip of Stage and Screen

Now showing at Rivoli Theatre "Milched Pierce" starring Joan Crawford.

French Cheer, Weep At U. S. Cartoon

HOLLYWOOD — Heralded by shouts of "Vive Leo!" and "Vive la France!" Metro-Goldwyn Mayer's technicolor cartoon, "The Early Bird Dood It," lived up to its title by being the first M-G-M film to be seen by French audiences since the Nazis told cinema goers, "The Metro Lion will roar no more upon your screen," according to Henri Lartigue, head of M-G-M for France, who has been in Hollywood for studio conferences.

"When Leo lifted up his noble voice," Lartigue told producer Fred Quimby and director Tex Avery, "the audience, long starved for American films, shrieked and yelled and wept from sheer delight."

Buzzell To Direct 'Three Wise Fools'

HOLLYWOOD — Having directed almost every star on the M-G-M lot, Director Eddie Buzzell has been handed the directorial reins on "Three Wise Fools" which will star Margaret O'Brien.

Slated as one of the top films of the year, the picture, which is based on the famed Austin Strong stage play, will team the dimuntive star with Lewis Stone, Lionel Barrymore and Frank Morgan, who appear as her guardians.

Buzzell ecently wound up direction on M-G-M's "Easy To Wed," Esther Williams-Van Johnson-Lucille Ball starrer, and is now preparing "Three Wise Fools" for filming in the very near future. William H. Wright will produce.

Toledo University Presents Play

Lovely Marthasue Bauer will play the lead in "Blithe Spirit," the first play of the year to be produced by the University Theatre. Miss Bauer is well-qualified to play the part of the beautiful ghost, being a fashion model for local photographers.

The comedy, which will be given November 9 and 10, concerns an author, to be played by David Ward, who is haunted by the ghost of his first wife, Elvira, played by Miss Bauer. The second wife of the widower will be played by Julia Cheyfitz.

It's Janet Jacobs, as the medium Madame Arcati who calls wife number one back from the land of the spirits, who provides the comedy with many of its laughs. Vying with her for honors in the field of levity is Kathleen Klewer, who portrays a befuddled maid, compltely bewildered by the ethereal antics of the invisible visitor.

Tom Ramsey and Bette Gallier turn in convincing performances as the staid middle-class friends of the doctor who participate in Madame Arcati's seanse.

Barbara Witt, as a spirit voice, makes the most of a one-act part.

Tickets for the play are available at 60c at the University box office. All seats are reserved. Tickets may be reserved by telephoning the University, JO. 3741.

LAST ASTAIRE PARTNER

Olga San Juan, who does the spectacular dance finale with Fred Astaire in Irving Berlin's "Blue Skies," Paramount Technicolor musical, thereby gains the distinction of being the dancing star's last screen partner. He retires with the finish of the picture.

Movie Strike Ended

HOLLYWOOD (LPA) — The bloody 33-week movie strike ended here last week after the AFL executive council, meeting in Cincinnati, asked that the dispute, which started between two AFL unions, be concluded and the pickets withdrawn.

The strike, which was used by Warner Bros., and other companies as an opportunity for union-busting attempts, marked the first occasion since the beginning of the war that tear-gas and private police were employed to break a picket line. The jurisdictional dispute remained to be settled between the Int'l Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employes, and the Conference of Studio Unions.

Strike-leader Herbert Sorrell brought suit against Warners for personal injuries and union expenses. The letter included such items as lawyers' fees paid by the union for arrested picketers. At least three persons were seriously hurt on picket duty, and it is estimated that more than 300 will have claims against Warners for injuries.

Studio Starts Shooting McNulty's 'Third Ave.'

HOLLYWOOD — "Third Avenue," based on John McNulty's series of human sketches in the New Yorker, is now before the cameras at Paramount with Sonny Tufts, Barry Fitzgerald and Diana Lynn heading the cast.

Locale of the story is New York's Third Avenue, roughly from 38th to 41st Streets.

"Mildred Pierce" Now Showing At Rivoli Theater

"Mildred Pierce," Warner Bros.' distinguished production of James Cain's engrossing tale of a tainted life, starring Joan Crawford, Zachary Scott and Jack Carson, now at the Rivoli: The exciting odyssey of a grass widow, "Mildred Pierce" provides Joan Crawford with the finest role of her career and audiences with the most absorbing movie experience in years.

"Mildred Pierce" is threeways great. As a description of mother-love, it is affecting and poignant. It is fascinating, too, as a sharp and accurate what-makes-'em-tick analysis of the soul of a heel. And it is a tense, gripping superior-caliber murder mystery. Considered in any one of these categories, "Mildred iPerce" would be rated an outstanding film. Successfully blending all three, it is something special for the discriminating moviegoer.

Produced by Jerry Wald, "Mildred Pierce" was directed by Michael Curtiz and written for the screen by Ronald MacDougall. Supporting the principal players are Eve Arden, Ann Blyth and Bruce Bennett. "Mildred Pierce" was photographed by Ernest Haller. Composer Max Steiner created the special musical score.

Director Shows How Not To Do A Scene

HOLLYWOOD — Director George Marshall drew a bruised shin and a thorough dunking last week at Ruess Ranch, on location for Paramount's new Bob Hope picture, "Monsieur Beaucaire."

Marshall, demonstrating to Patric Knowles just how he wanted him to skip from rock to rock across a stream, slipped and fell head first into the icy water. Knowles made it without mishap.

TURNABOUT

Marjorie Reynolds changed her hair tone from blonde to dusky brown for her part as Princess Maria of Spain in Paramount's new Bob Hope picture, "Monsieur Beaucaire."

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Loew's ESQUIRE

Minimum Wage Fight Wins Congress Aid

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 (LPA)—Congressmen interested in the Pepper bill to raise the minimum wage to 65 cents an hour will get down to the grass roots during the next two weeks, when hearings are held in Harrisburg, Pa., New York City and Richmond, Va.

Congressmen will travel to these cities to hear representatives of workers, community leaders, and students of wage problems tell why the 65c minimum is an urgent necessity.

In each area, union spokesmen are prepared to show that even in reputedly well-organized industries, in comparatively "rich" sections of the country, there still exist dangerous pockets of substandard wages. These menace the wage scales of better organized workers, and contribute to health, juvenile delinquency, child labor, and other problems.

Meanwhile, the Senate Labor and Education subcommittee prepared to wind up hearings in that branch of Congress, preparatory to a report which is expected to be favorable. The only exception to subcommittee support is expected to be Senator Arthur Ellender (D. La.) who has tried desperately to filibuster in the hearings.

Hearings before the House committee are expected to continue for several more weeks, and a "tight squeeze" is anticipated in getting the Hook bill, counterpart of the Pepper bill, reported out favorably. However, the bill's supporters are confident that the evidence now piling up in support of the measure will swing some of the doubtful votes.

Most of the testimony before the House group last week was by "repeaters" who had already spoken before the Senate hearings. Exception to this was Robert W. Johnson, chairman of the board of Johnson & Johnson, surgical supply firm, who said that a 75c minimum should be established immediately. His testimony, which also called for a 35 to 30 hour work week, was directly counter to that of Reuben S. Haslam, sub-ing for Ira Mosher of the Natioanl Association of Manufacturers. A 65c minimum would eventually bankrupt industry, Haslam soberly warned the committee.

We Can Win With Burke

TRUMAN ON WAGES

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31—President Truman's speech here last night in which he recommended increased wages and continued price controls was received with mingled feelings here by labor and industrial representatives.

Some labor leaders seemed disappointed because the President was not more specific in his statements in view of the preliminary rumors that he would recommend a general 20 per cent wage raise. Others felt that it was an introductory note for the beginning of the Labor-Management conference called by the President for next Monday.

Disabled Vets Vote Labor Line

CHICAGO, Oct. 29 (LPA)—The Disabled American Veterans, third largest serviceman's organization, held its 24th annual convention here last week and refused to be sucker for labor-hating Rep. Rankin (D. Miss.) and Gerald L. K. Smith.

The DAV, in fact, formally denounced both Rankin, and Smith. Rankin was charged with hamstringing veterans legislation for personal reasons.

Closer contact with organized labor was established by other resolutions — one of which criticized Selective Service Director Hershey's "superseniority" ideas — and by addresses by union leaders. The convention, opposing Hershey's interpretation, which has already been attacked by labor leaders, resolved that continuation of so-called "super-seniority" may result in many lawsuits, and possibly in many walkouts, strikes, and strikes between veterans and non-veterans, which potentially affect only a small percentage of returned veterans.

The entire tone of the DAV convention was pro-labor. Elected national commander was Dow V. Walker, of Newport, Ore., a major with the AEF in World War I.

Avery Asks For A War

NEW YORK, Oct. 29 (LPA)—The nation's number one labor baiter, Sewell Avery, is asking for it and he's going to get it. A nationwide strike which can pull out more than 75,000 Montgomery Ward workers was authorized last week by the executive board of the United Retail, Wholesale & Department Store Employes-CIO.

Avery, who was cited by President Roosevelt as a disrupter of the war effort, instigated the URWDSEA action by declaring that he would not grant maintenance of membership or other awards given by the War Labor Board before government seizure of the Ward properties last December.

URWDSEA President Samuel Wolchok said the strike, if Avery forced it on the union, would be called "at the most opportune time." Avery, said Wolchok, is an "industrial tyrant" who has "directed all of his financial power toward smashing the union." The union's executive committee declared that Avery refused to negotiate in good faith on 22 demands "which include a 15c-an-hour wage increase and a 65c per hour minimum wage."

Map Price Control

WILMINGTON (LPA) — Representatives from 70 community groups, including union locals, met at the headquarters of the New Castle Industrial Union Council to map out a campaign to hold the line on prices, to strengthen enforcement of rent control, and to urge the placing of ceiling prices on houses, both new and old. John Edelman of the national CIO Cost of Living Committee and Dr. Philip A. Traynor, Congressman from here, as well as representatives of the OPA were present. Traynor indicated that he would "be guided" by the discussions.

UAW Establishes A New Bureau

DETROIT, October 31—UAW-CIO President R. J. Thomas announced today the appointment of Clayton Johnson and Jack McGuire as co-directors of the Unemployment Compensation Division of the UAW-CIO.

Johnson is secretary-treasurer of the Greater Flint Industrial Council and pesident of UAW-CIO Fisher Tool Local 598. He resides at 305 Harriet Street in Flint, Michigan.

McGuire is a former president of Ford Lincoln Local 900, UAW-CIO, in Detroit, and during the war served as a member of the Labor Production Division of the War Production Board.

Sue For Unpaid Overtime

ST. PAUL (LPA) — Packinghouse workers, required to change from street to working clothes on unpaid-for time, have entered suit for $5,000,000 against the Cudahy Packing Co. for the time-and-a-half due them, at the rate of one hour a day, since Oct. 22, 1939. Their claim is based on the 1938 Fair Labor Standards Act.

Coops to Advise SPB

WASHINGTON (LPA)—Representatives of 26 regional cooperatives will aid the Surplus Property Administration in formulating policies concerning disposal of surplus goods, through a permanent advisory committee now being formed. Smaller committees, dealing with specific items, may be formed later, to confer directly with government officials as is now the practice among private industry groups.

Repeal the Un-American PR System

Co-ops Advance

NEW YORK (LPA) — Consumer Co-ops now own and operate 158 mills, factories and refineries, as well as 1664 miles of pipe line and 429 oil wells in the U. S. and Canada, according to a survey just completed by the Cooperative League. A recent report by the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, shows that the co-ops produced nearly $65,000,000 in 1944, and the 1945 figures are expected to be considerably higher.

If You Work, Vote for Burke

Unions Show Success

NEW YORK (LPA)—A survey made by management shows that of the 2,055 cases presented by unions to the Natl. Labor Board during the three years 1942-44, 40% were wholly attained, 19% partially attained, 2% withdrawn, and only 39% were refused.

Army "Strikebreak" Film Destroyed

NEW YORK (LPA) — The Workers Defense League announced here last week that complaints on "Riot Control" (army film which unionists charged was training in strikebreaking) have been heeded by the Army, and War Dept. officials, in reply to enquiries, declared that not only had every print of the film been destroyed, but even every still picture.

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FOR FEARLESS, EFFICIENT AND HONEST SERVICE DURING HIS MANY YEARS IN COUNCIL.

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BERNARD E. MEDFORD, *Chairman*

NOW WE KNOW!

GEORGE SCHOONMAKER, speaking to all Toledoans, over WSPD Tuesday evening, Oct. 30, said,

"the one overpowering burden, the one insistent tugging worry, was and is the fact that money available with which to operate our city has not been adequate FOR FIFTEEN YEARS.

and again . . . "Today Toledo's machinery and equipment is outworn and too much of it is obsolete. Our streets need repairing. Our manpower is at low ebb, and the people we have, especially the good ones, are FAR FROM OVERPAID."

and again . . . "There is one way out of this situation, and that is for the people to approve the nine financial proposals on the ballot. I do not pretend that if all nine fail of approval dire disaster will strike us the next day. But I do solemnly assert that such disaster CANNOT LONG BE AVOIDED."

and again . . . "we have never faced a more important election than this one, November 6th. This is our opportunity to set Toledo on the road to growth and progress. If we do not go forward, we shall go backward, and we can go backward very rapidly. This is the choice we must make."

There, Fellow Citizens, is the TRUTH—from the One Man Who knows our financial problems!

Can ANYONE question George Schoonmaker's Honesty? Or his Loyalty to the best interests of Our City? Or his thorough knowledge of our financial difficulties?

There never has been, and NEVER WILL BE, any ONE program that everyone will agree on! That's how We Humans are!

BUT . . . this New Financial Program we ask you to vote FOR is the result of long and careful study, by a group of qualified and impartial private citizens—the Citizens Finance Committee—who gave their best efforts for more than a year to develop it for us.

A Decision like this, on a matter of which we cannot be expected to know all details, calls for CONFIDENCE!

WE ASK YOU THESE STRAIGHT QUESTIONS:

1. Can the Citizens of Toledo have CONFIDENCE in GEORGE SCHOONMAKER'S JUDGMENT AND HONESTY?
2. Can the Citizens of Toledo have CONFIDENCE in the unbiased and sound program of the Citizens Finance Committee?
3. Will Toledo GO FORWARD with this new financial program?
4. WILL THE COST DECLINE AFTER 1946?

There is just one answer for all.

Some there may be who will say this is not a "new program," since it requires Money, since it requires Votes, since it recommends some one line of action, or one procedure, instead of another. There will be differences of opinion.

But this program is right, for us, NOW. It will Start Us Ahead. We need it. We can have it NOW. How? By Voting FOR the Nine Financial Proposals. That way we will vote NINE TIMES for the Better Toledo we need and want!

United Toledo Committee

519 Jefferson Ave.

What is the UNITED-TOLEDO Committee?

It is EVERY TOLEDOAN who actively supports the program of voting FOR ALL NINE financial proposals Nov. 6. It was started by a group of Toledoans less than a month ago, when they learned that no program of information and education to accomplish this had yet been planned. Representatives of all known civic organizations were invited to a meeting at the Public Library on Oct. 19. Organization was there effected and Mr. Jos. A. Yager was elected chairman. He was instructed to appoint a Working Committee to conduct an agressive campaign of education supporting this program. There is no special group or interest "behind" this program. We just want to see Toledo GO AHEAD NOW. Who paid for these messages? The money comes from subscriptions of Toledo citizens who want to help. If you want to subscribe too, send us your check. No amount too small.

Jos. A. Yager, Chairman

Toledo's Future for years to come is in OUR HANDS when we vote November 6

PR Repeal Advocated By PAC And Citizens

Active Campaign For Amendment Brings Old System Near Defeat

Active campaigning by the PAC and Committee For the Repeal of the Proportionate Representation system of electing members of City Council have brought the little understood and costly PR system nearer to defeat than ever before. It is generally conceded that if a large number of voters turn out next Tuesday to vote on the issue that PR will be wiped off the city charter and a new and understandable system voted in.

More than 34,000 citizens of Toledo signed the petitions to place the PAC sponsored city charter amendment on the ballot, but the only confusing thing is that on the same ballot will be found other issues which tend to confuse the voters.

PAC Issues Pamphlet

In order to make it easy for the citizens of Toledo to defeat the PR system, PAC prepared a pamphlet which is being placed in every home in the city. Those who receive the pamphlet are urged by PAC to clip the sample amendment and take it with them into the voting booth.

As it's contribution to aiding in the elimination of the PR system, the TOLEDO UNION JOURNAL is reproducing on this page the entire ballot which will be handed to the voters next Tuesday. The PR repeal amendment to the city charter is the third one from the top of Brose page and is located on the on t hand sid eof the ballot. It rec marked with an X For The Amendment showing you exactly how to mark the ticket.

Vote Issues Ballot

Voters are urged to vote the issues ballot immediately after voting for councilmen. The sample ballot shown on this page is marked with X for all issues favored by the PAC and in the case of the PR repeal, approved by the Citizens Committee For Repeal of PR.

Other marked ballots include the four year term for council which is opposed, the bond issues for the new Union Depot Plaze and Hospital and the levy for the schools.

No stand was taken on any of the issues which are not marked with the X. You are urged to use your own judgment on these and vote as your convictions dictate.

This is one of the most important elections held in Toledo in many years and all voters are being urged to make it a point to cast their ballots.

Booths will be open from 6:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m. Be sure to vote.

We Can Win With Burke

JLC Men Join UNRRA

NEW YORK (LPA)—Paul L. Goldman and William Wolpert, of the Jewish Labor Committee, have left to work with UNRRA to aid displaced Jews in the occupied zones of Germany and Austria, the JLC announced last week.

AMG Discourages German Organization

WASHINGTON (LPA)—The very movement that is most staunchly anti-Nazi is receiving very little encouragement from American Military Government authorities in Germany, charges the AFL publication Labor's Monthly Survey in its current issue.

"Before Hitler," the AFL statement points out, "the labor movement was one of Germany's strongest democratic forces. Hitler did all in his power to destroy it. Today German unionists can take leadership in rebuilding democracy."

Despite the renewal of activity by German unionists, the Survey goes on, "very often the American Military Government has refused to authorize union organization or to heed the suggestions of these union anti-Nazi committees . . . This policy has stifled the rebirth of democracy and prevented the elimination of Nazis."

Here is what the AFL proposes be U. S. policy in encouraging growth of unions: "Bona fide union anti-Nazi committees should be fully endorsed by the occupation authorities so they can function effectively. Union funds, which were seized by the Nazi labor front, should be returned to the unions. Social insurance funds should be restored and the social security laws effective before the Nazi regime should again be put into operation. A clear and forthright directive along these lines is urgently needed."

Miners, Railroad Spokesmen To Hold Conferences

PARIS (via ILO Information Service)—International committees representing labor, industry and government will meet for the first time in London in December to deal with problems of coal mining and inland transport. Meeting under the auspices of the International Labor Organization, the London sessions will be devoted to an exchange of views between representatives of the three interests in the major countries concerned with these industries.

In addition, meetings are to be held in Brussels next year of committees covering textile and building industries.

The schedule of international industry meetings was arranged by the governing committee of the International Labor Office which met here prior to the opening of the International Labor Conference.

AFL representatives should be allowed to go into Germany to work under the Allied Control Council, the Survey urges.

"A policy which will permit all non-war industries to start production and workers to get back to their jobs is of the utmost urgency" if any program of long-range rehabilitation is to succeed, the AFL concludes.

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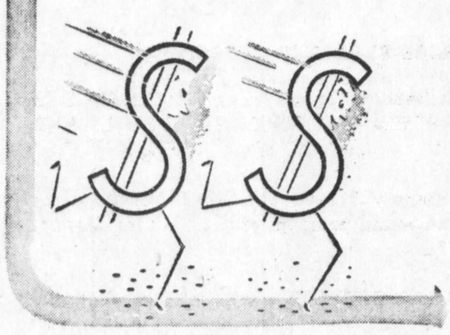

Let's Go!

LET'S GO ALL OUT FOR VICTORY

IN THE *Victory Loan*

This is it. All over the nation the signal has been given for the start of the eighth and final war loan—the *Victory* loan.

O K., what's *our* share?—what's Lucas County's share?

Here it is. In E bonds our share is $7,384,000 We the people of Lucas County—the workers, the business men, the farmers—are asked to buy $7,384,000 in E bonds.

And we'll buy them. We always have. It's just a matter of everybody doing his share It's just a matter of everybody buying *all the extra E bonds he possibly can*—at the place where he works, at his home in Toledo or neighboring town, or on his farm.

O K., Lucas County, let's finish the job! Volunteer workers will ask you to buy. When they ask—*buy!* Do your share!

LUCAS COUNTY HAS COME THROUGH IN ALL 7 WAR LOANS TO DATE— IT WILL NOT FAIL IN THE 8TH AND FINAL

VICTORY LOAN

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Mark indicate recommendations of the PAC-CIO.

OFFICIAL
Questions or Issues Ballot
City of Toledo
General Election November 6, 1945
USE X ONLY IN MARKING BALLOT

Vote as indicated by the X marks. Take this with you when you vote.

SAMPLE

City of Toledo

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF TOLEDO BY THE ENACTMENT OF CERTAIN SECTIONS.

To amend the Charter of the City of Toledo by enacting Sections 46-A, 46-B, 46-C and 46-D, which provide respectively for the levy by the City Council of a tax limited to six (6) mills on each dollar of assessed property valuation for general fund obligations of the City and for the levy by the City Council only on the tax duplicates for 1945, 1946 and 1947 for the fiscal years 1946, 1947 and 1948 of a tax limited to seven-tenths (0.7) mills on each dollar of assessed property valuation for current operating expenses; for the levy by the City Council of a sufficient tax to retire certain bonds; for submitting questions of additional tax levies and the issuing of certain bonds to the electors of the City and prescribing the vote necessary to authorize such tax levies or the issuance of such bonds.

	FOR THE AMENDMENT
	AGAINST THE AMENDMENT

SAMPLE

City of Toledo

PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF TOLEDO PROVIDING FOR A FOUR YEAR TERM FOR COUNCILMAN.

To amend Sections 11 and 26 of the Charter of the City of Toledo so as to establish a four year term of office for city councilman.

	FOR THE AMENDMENT
X	AGAINST THE AMENDMENT

SAMPLE

City of Toledo

PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF TOLEDO PROVIDING FOR A CITY COUNCIL OF NINE (9) MEMBERS, TO BE ELECTED FROM THE CITY AT LARGE BY PLURALITY VOTE.

To amend Sections 11, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26 and 237 of the Charter of the City of Toledo, and to enact Section 238 of the Charter of the City of Toledo, so as to provide for the election of a City Council composed of nine (9) members to be elected from the city at large, each elector to have the right to vote for nine (9) candidates for Council, the nine (9) candidates receiving the largest number of votes cast for candidates for Council to be declared elected.

X	FOR THE AMENDMENT
	AGAINST THE AMENDMENT

SAMPLE

City of Toledo

PROPOSED BOND ISSUE

Shall bonds be issued by the City of Toledo for the purpose of erecting and constructing bridges over water ways within the park system of the City of Toledo, in the sum of $100,000.00, and a levy of taxes to be made outside of the ten mill limitations estimated by the County Auditor to average .01 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to 1/10 cents for each One Hundred Dollars of valuation, for a maximum period of 25 years, to pay the principal and interest of such bonds?

	FOR THE BOND ISSUE
	AGAINST THE BOND ISSUE

SAMPLE

City of Toledo

PROPOSED BOND ISSUE

Shall bonds be issued by the City of Toledo for the purpose of purchasing and condemning the necessary real estate for a site for the Union Depot Plaza in the sum of $100,000.00, and a levy of taxes to be made outside of the ten mill limitation estimated by the County Auditor to average .01 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to one-tenth (1/10) cents for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for a maximum period of thirty (30) years to pay the principal and interest of such bonds?

X	FOR THE BOND ISSUE
	AGAINST THE BOND ISSUE

SAMPLE

City of Toledo

PROPOSED BOND ISSUE

Shall bonds be issued by the City of Toledo for the purpose of erecting, building and constructing swimming pools and bath houses within the park system of the City of Toledo and for equipping and furnishing same, in the sum of $600,000.00, and a levy of taxes to be made outside of the ten mill limitations estimated by the County Auditor to average .09 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to 9/10 cents, for each One Hundred Dollars of valuation, for a maximum period of 21 years, to pay the principal and interest on such bonds?

	FOR THE BOND ISSUE
	AGAINST THE BOND ISSUE

SAMPLE

City of Toledo

PROPOSED BOND ISSUE

Shall bonds be issued by the City of Toledo for the purpose of purchasing and condemning real estate for a site for a general hospital and city health center and for constructing, equipping and furnishing new buildings for same in the sum of $900,000.00, and a levy of taxes to be made outside of the ten mill limitations estimated by the County Auditor to average 12 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to 1-1/5 cents for each One Hundred Dollars of valuation, for a naximum period of 24 years, to pay the principal and interest of such bonds?

X	FOR THE BOND ISSUE
	AGAINST THE BOND ISSUE

SAMPLE

City of Toledo

PROPOSED BOND ISSUE

Shall bonds be issued by the City of Toledo for the purpose of purchasing and condemning the necessary real estate for a site for a city garbage incinerator, and constructing, equipping and furnishing a new building for same in the sum of $300,000.00, and a levy of taxes to be made outside of the ten mill limitation estimated by the County Auditor to average .05 mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to one-half (½) cents for each One Hundred Dollars of valuation, for a maximum period of 16 years to pay the principal and interest of such bonds?

	FOR THE BOND ISSUE
	AGAINST THE BOND ISSUE

SAMPLE

City of Toledo

PROPOSED BOND ISSUE

Shall bonds be issued by the City of Toledo for the purpose of constructing a storm sewer system and constructing roads in and through the City owned and operated Forest Cemetery in the sum of $150,000.00, and a levy of taxes to be made outside of the ten mill limitation estimated by the County Auditor to average .02 mills for each One Dollar of valuation, which amounts to 1/5 cents for each One Hundred Dollars of valuation, for a maximum period of 17 years, to pay the principal and interest of such bonds?

	FOR THE BOND ISSUE
	AGAINST THE BOND ISSUE

SAMPLE

Toledo School District
Public Library

PROPOSED TAX LEVY

An additional tax outside of the ten mill limitation for the benefit of the Board of Education for the City School District of the City of Toledo, Lucas County, Ohio, for the purpose of redeeming bonds in the sum of $1,050,000.00 and pay the interest thereon, heretofore issued to furnish the sponsor's share of a federal project to construct and build a Public Library, at a rate not exceeding seventeen one-hundredths (.17) mills for each one dollar of valuation which amounts to one and seventenths (1.7) cents for each ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS of valuation for eighteen years and to commence upon the 1945 duplicate.

	FOR THE TAX LEVY
	AGAINST THE TAX LEVY

SAMPLE

Toledo School District

PROPOSED TAX LEVY

An additional tax outside of the ten mill limitation for the benefit of the Board of Education of the City School District in the City of Toledo, Lucas County Ohio, for the purpose of providing additional funds for current expenses at a rate not exceeding twenty-five one hundredths (.25) mills for each one dollar of valuation which amounts to two and one-half (2½) cents for each ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS of valuation for five years, commencing on the 1945 duplicate.

X	FOR THE TAX LEVY
	AGAINST THE TAX LEVY

Employers Pull "Defeatist" Gag

WASHINGTON, October 29—(LPA) — President Truman last week again renewed his demand that Congress get to work in a hurry on the full employment bill which has been buried for weeks in the House Expenditures Committee.

While Truman repeated his expressions of anxiety that the full employment legislation be brought out of committee, the National Association of Manufacturers was doing its utmost to keep it from ever getting out of committee. The NAM's president, Ira Mosher, damned the legislation which has been endorsed by all sections of organized labor as "defeatist" in testimony before the House Committee.

Truman revealed he had consulted with House leaders and had learned from Committee Chairman Manasco that the odds are against passage of the bill.

While the emasculated bill failed to come near a Senate or House vote it was discovered that 53 of the nation's newspapers approved the Senate amendments. A survey showed that the daily press particularly favored the Senate amendment offered by Taft which would prevent Congress from increasing the national debt to finance Federal works projects if they were necessary.

SAN FRANCISCO (LPA) — An immediate interim pay hike of 25c an hour has been demanded by the Intl. Longshoremen's & Warehousemen's Union for the west coast longshoremen. The 25c raise is in "basic pay pending final outcome of protracted negotiations on contract changes,", the union announced.

TUNE IN WTOL THURSDAY AT 7:30 P. M.

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TOLEDO UNION JOURNAL

SPORTS

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THE IDEAL BUILD

The ideal build for a swimming champion?

He should be six feet or more tall and wedge-shaped, according to Matt Mann, veteran University of Michigan swimming coach who has given the Wolverines 15 Big Ten and 14 N. C. A. A. titles since 1925.

Close Games In Local 12 Bowling League

From The Rule Book

By Wilbert "Birdie" Rule
Director of Education and Recreation

"Birdie" Rule

Speaking about monopolies all over the country, let us not forget the one which Army and Navy holds in the football realm. For several years, the Army and Navy football machines have romped over their opponents almost at will and collected amazingly large scores.

The only team in the country which consistently competes on a par with these gridiron juggernauts is the Fightin' Irish of Notre Dame and, after years of gridiron rivalry, holds an edge in the number of victories over the Army and Navy football powerhouses.

In all of the accredited colleges in the United States, including Notre Dame, the college term is four years, while Army and Navy academies continue on for six years. This in itself permits two more years in which to build clever, bruising, top-notch teams and also allows players to sign up with Army and Navy after they have completed the regular four-year course in other schools.

There should be something done about this situation inasmuch as it is liable to remove the intense rivalry from the sport. The ultimate outcome of the game will be known to every football fan throughout the country even before the game starts and colleges will not care to send their football warriors against such vastly superior teams.

Some fine aggregations including Michigan, Pennsylvania, and even little, but game, Villanova played against the strong military and naval teams and have emerged from the contests bruised and battered with their morale knocked for a row of brick houses.

Unless this football picture is changed soon the chances for All-American recognition will rest with only those two teams and the national mythical championship race will be uninteresting and dull.

Vote for Thomas Burke

One of our good Union members tells a good football joke on himself.

He took his first college examination and answered every question — answered them wrong. The professor called him to his office later and said, "I don't believe that you know anything."

To which our football hero answered, "Sir, I don't even suspect anything."

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Len Donovan, assistant county prosecutor, was addressing a political audience recently and told this one. His friend was having his eyes examined and the doctor asked him if he could read the bottom line. The fellow looked at those small letters A T E O T F D Z, then he suddenly said, "Read it, heck I know him! I played with him in the Notre Dame backfield."

Repeal the PR System

Paul Biker, of the Toledo Scale Unit, was standing in front of the Commodore-Perry Hotel looking glum when a friend asked him what was wrong. "I bought a girl a glass of champagne and she started making love to me," Paul sighed.

When he was asked what was wrong with that, Paul sadly answered, "I could have got her on beer."

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Sgt. Paul Miller, who enlisted in the Army Air Forces 38 months ago while he was a member of the Spicer Unit, has just been released from military service and is planning on returning to his old job. Sgt. Miller was with the 511th Fighter Squadron and saw service in Germany, Belgium, France, and England. He says that the English girls are the nicest in Europe. What about your Irish background, Paul?

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Scotty Rogers (Spicer Unit) owner of the Lazy Acres ranch on Alexis road, is booking hayrides for social groups in the city. When snow comes he will also book old fashioned sleigh ride parties, Scotty says. Remember how we looked forward to those winter sleigh rides? And the bottom of the sleigh was filled with straw to keep the little tootsies warm?

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When Toots Martin was leaving Piqua for Toledo, following the Region 2-B conference, he somehow took the wrong route and wound up back in Piqua some few hours later. That small town laugh lotion must have lasting effects.

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5. Kt-QB3	5. P-Q3
6. B-K2	6. P-KKt3
7. O-O	7. B-Kt2
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9. P-KB4	9. B-K3
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13. PxB	13. R-B
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17. B-Kt2	17. P-R6
18. BxP	18. RxP
19. B-Kt4	19. KtxQP
20. BKxKt	20. BxKtch
21. K-R	21. R-B
22. QR-Q	2. B-Kt2
23. Q-Kt5	23. P-Kt3
24. B-Q2	24. B-B6
25. B-K3	25. R-Kt
26. P-QKt4	26. Kt-Kt2
27. BxP	27. Q-K
28. B-B6	28. Q-B
29. B-Q7(a)	29. Resigns

(a) The Queen is trapped. It is surprising what combinations these players can see at such speed.

If You Work, Vote for Burke

Bow-Arrow Popular

LANSING, Nov. 2 — A spectacular 377 per cent increase in sale of resident bow and arrow deer licenses this fall is reported by the conservation department.

Department game men believe that the increase in sales of licenses also may reflect a new attitude on the part of sportsmen, an increased appreciation of hunting for its own sake and lesser emphasis on the kill.

The University of Michigan will be able to place an entire letterman quintet on the court this year if Coach Bennie Oosterbaan so desires.

High School Football Changed Little

The high school football picture in Toledo remains virtually the same as it was at this time last week. The only difference is that Woodward moved out of a cellar tie position by defeating DeVilbiss in a close game.

The Waite Indians hold undisputed first place in the race and cannot possibly go lower than a tie for the position. They wallopped Libbey to snuff out any doubt as to the best team in the city and possibly in the state of Ohio.

Scott Bulldogs will tangle with Libbey's Cowboys tonight at Scott stadium and the outcome will not have much bearing on the high school race —only in case that Libbey should lose, and then Central's Fighting Irish will move into a tie for second berth with Libbey. But that isn't likely to be the outcome of the game because Libbey is smarting after their defeat by Waite and be in the game for keeps.

Mansfield will be host to Toledo Waite tonight in a game which will mean much in selecting the state champion. Waite remains in the undefeated class while Mansfield has had its goal line crossed several times.

The DeVilbiss Tigers are bringing a very good team from Sandusky here tonight for their meeting at the DeVilbiss stadium. DeVilbiss will be trying to gain face after their last week's defeat by Woodward and are preparing to give the Sanduskians a hot reception. The Sandusky outfit is reported to be light and exceptionally fast with many deceptive plays.

Repeal the Un-American PR System

Sportsman's Quiz

Score yourself 10 points for each correct answer to questions below. A score of 90 is excellent; 80 very good; below 50, not so good — you need to spend more time outdoors. Answers will be found elsewhere on this page but don't peep until you've tried all ten questions.—Editor.

1. What are the only living mammals that fly?
2. What bird impales his bird victims on the needles of a thorn tree?
3. What reptile, common in Ohio, never takes a drink of water?
4. What small bird uses horse hair almost exclusively in its nest?
5. What fish is said to live 150 years?
6. What duck is said to live 150 years?
7. What is said to have the shortest span of life?
8. More people fish with garden hackle than any other bait. What is garden hackle?
9. What is the difference between a fishing rod and a fishing pole?
10. What bee will never sting a person?

License Sales Up

LANSING, Nov. 2 — Sales of temporary and annual non-resident fishing licenses are 15 per cent above those of last year, according to the conservation department of Michigan.

End of hostilities was marked by a sharp increase in tourist travel, as reflected in fishing license sales to outstate residents.

The Sportsman's Reward

After a day of pheasant hunting at Woonsocket, South Dakota, Wilver Mark, chairman of the National Supply Unit, and "Frosty" Richards, executive committeeman, return to camp with their limit of birds. The hunters say that there were plenty of pheasants and the weather was ideal for Nimrods.

Hints For Hunters

Don't try to handle your companion's dog. Never criticize his dog's fault. Praise his good points.

Give the dog a chance to retrieve your bird. Look for it yourself only as a court of last resort.

Find out which side your companion prefers to shoot from . . . and take the other side.

Never shoot at birds flying your companion's way.

Don't claim birds you are not absolutely sure you killed.

Never hunt in your friend's favorite spot, which he has shown you, unless he is along or you have his consent. Alter-[illegible] shots.

Above all, never take a chance. Observe all the rules of safety.

Little Brown Jug At Stake

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Nov. 2— All the football chips will be down and the competition will be at its keenest this weekend as Minnesota and Michigan square off in their traditional Little Brown Jug struggle here Saturday.

The largest home crowd since 1943, an expected 85,000 persons, will witness the game between the teams, each once-beated in Western Conference competition. It will be the 36th game between the two rivals with Michigan holding the edge by winning 20 games, losing 13 and tying two.

Instead of perhaps taking Minnesota a bit more lightly because of its 20-7 loss at the hands of Ohio State, Coach Fritz Crisler Monday impressed even more seriously upon his squad the danger that the Gophers present. He warned that the Northern may be expected to descend upon Ann Arbor in a vengeful mood, set to bound back from their defeat.

Hunting In Ohio

Ohio has banned the use of buckshot in deer hunting to reduce the number of wounded deer lost to sportsmen. Hunting is allowed only with shotgun shells loaded with single ball or slug, or bow and barbless arrow from December 3 to 8, inclusive.

Repeal the PR System

When Michigan plays Navy at Baltimore, Nov. 10, Wesley Muelder, sub halfback, may play against his brother, Wallace, a member of the Annapolis squad.

Local 12 Sponsors Boxing Shows

In line with a vast athletic and recreation program being planned by Local 12, boxing has been added to the list of sports attractions to be offered to the membersrip in particular and to the sports fans of Toledo.

A meeting was held in the Local 12 headquarters, Wednesday night, at which an advisory committee was selected and plans for the proposed boxing shows discussed.

At this meeting it was announced by Richard Gosser, Region 2-B Director, and Melvin Schultz, Local 12 President, that the boxing shows would be held under the jurisdiction of the Recreation Department with Randolph Gray handling the financial end and Wilbert "Birdie" Rule in charge of promotion.

The exact nature of the boxing exhibitions has not been decided upon as yet, but it is thought that they will consist of both amateur and professional bouts.

Vote for Thomas Burke

Football Predictions

Ohio State over Northwestern.
Ohio University over Ky. State Teachers.
Ohio Northern over Ohio Wesleyan.
Alabama over Kentucky.
Baldwin-Wallace over Cincinnati.
Yale over Dartmouth.
Marquette over Detroit Univ.
Georgia Tech over Duke.
Illinois over Great Lakes.
Kansas over Nebraska.
LSU over Mississippi.
Michigan over Minnesota.
Navy over Notre Dame (but close).
Purdue over Pittsburgh.
Pennsylvania over Princeton.
St. Mary's over USC.
Texas over SMU.
Oklahoma over TCU.
Army easily over Villanova.
Wisconsin over Iowa.

George Geis Gets 621; Teams Are Improving

The Local 12 American League is beginning to cause a few jitters to such teams as Standard Commutator, Willys No. 2, Toledo Scale, DeVilbiss and National Supply Squadron. These clubs are bouncing back and forth from the win column to the losing side of the ledger.

Only one game separates the first four with N. S. Squadron two games short of the top four. Willys No. 1 last year's American League champs are resting in sixth place losing a lot of close games and having more than their share of touch luck. But you know the old saying—you can't keep a good team down.

Ed Mandy

The P. A. C. and Auto-Lite clubs improved their teams somewhat and are bound to give the top notchers more trouble than they have in the past.

National League

The National League race at the end of the first round is an exact contrast of the American League. Here the DeVilbiss No. 2 team is dominant winning 20 games and losing only one. Their nearest competitors are Willys No. 4, four games off pace.

George Geis of Standard Commutator, claimed high individual honors in the league with his big 621 series last week.

Gordon Bumper dispelled rumors of their position to cement last place in league standing by clipping Hall No. 2 two games, giving notice of their intentions of giving up that position in the very near future.

International Division

American Can are the pacesetters in this division with Willys trailing by one game, followed by Mather No. 1 two games behind the leaders.

Toledo Pressed Steel is showing a big improvement lately—is it because Mr. Grzechowiak back from the armed forces put a little pepper to Mr. Neal Beck and Co.

Jim Czerniak commenting that there's nothing wrong with his team that a little practice won't cure.

LOCAL 12 LADIES LEAGUE
Standing

	W	L
Toledo Steel Products	20	4
Packard Motor	18	6
Lakeside No. 2	17	7
Auto-Lite	14	10
American Can	14	10
DeVilbiss	13	11
Lakeside No. 1	13	11
American Prop.	6	16
P. A. C.	4	16
Region 2-B	1	23

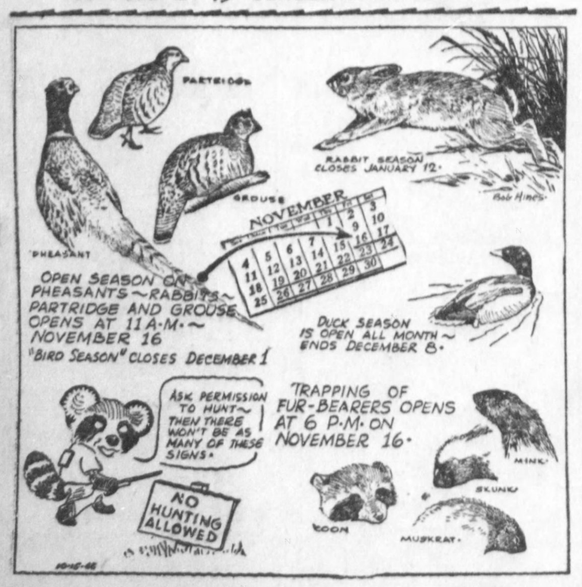
We Can Win With Burke

ANSWERS TO QUIZ

1. Bats, 2. The butcher bird 3. The frog. They absorb it through their skins. 4. The chipping sparrow. 5. The carp. 6. Eider Duck. 7 The mayfly—it lives less than one day. 8. Fishworms. 9. A pole costs less than $5, a rod costs more. 10. The queen bee. They only use their stinger to kill other queen bees.

An automobile driven by a mail carrier in Maine chased a medium-sized bear and clocked its speed at 35 miles per hour. Bears are reported "thick as potatoes" in Maine this year.

Under Ohio Skies
AS TOLD BY THE CONSERVATION DIVISION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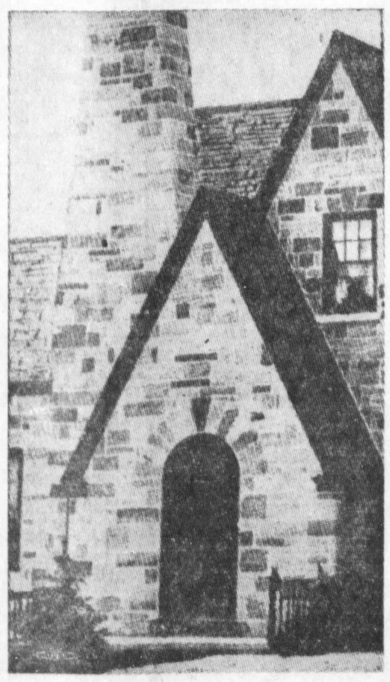

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Labor's Own Councilman

1 Thomas H. (Tom) Burke

1 For the past two years, Tom Burke has served all the people of Toledo. He has stood for the things which he and the workers of this city believe to be right. He has thought and voted right.

2 When City Council voted down the Black Market Ordinance asked by the OPA Labor Advisory Committee, Tom Burke was one of two who courageously voted in the interests of the workers who rent their homes but who were unable to rent food lockers in which to store large quantities of scarce rationed articles He was opposed to gouging the plain people then, as he is now.

3 Opposes the Proportionate Representation system of electing city council, but favors retention of the City-Manager form of government.

4 Opposes increasing councilmen's terms to four years.

5 Favors city planning to provide employment in slack times, slum elimination and improvements to public buildings, highways and housing.

6 Has consistently stood for a decent American standard of living for city employees and voted to give them wage raises to which he feels they were entitled.

7 As a member of organized labor, he has fearlessly stood by the workers of this city in their struggle for progress and pledges his continued support to all worthy causes. He will serve you well.

If You Work — Vote For Burke

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Burke For Council Committee.
Richard Gosser, Mgr.